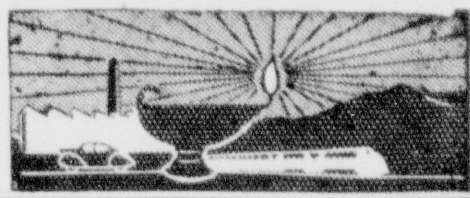


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U.S. TROOPS CROSS MARNE AT MEAUX Americans Spring Trap in Amazing 200-Mile Drive

Armored Column Throws Deadly Wedge into the Rhône Valley

Heavy Losses Inflicted on Fleeing Enemy Troops; Last Germans in Mar- seille Surrender

By NOLAN NORGARD

ROME, Aug. 28 (AP)—An American armored column has thrown a deadly wedge into the Rhône valley 100 miles north of Marseille, and tonight battered remnants of the German Nineteenth Army in Southern France frantically to escape a trap which was closing on their last avenue of escape to Germany.

An official announcement said heavy losses already had been inflicted on fleeing enemy troops on the east bank of the Rhône, but did not disclose whether Yank forces had yet threatened all high-ways and railways on both sides of the stream, effectively stopping the wide Rhône valley.

Nazis in Disorderly Flight

Speeding the Nazis' disorderly flight and driving them into the blazing guns of the cut-off force just above Montellier was another American column pounding up the Rhône valley from Avignon, some forty-five miles down the river. All bridges across the Rhône have been blown, and French patriot troops holding the countryside on the west side of the river were reported harassing the flank of the fleeing army.

The last Germans who had been holding out on the Marseille waterfront and on islands in the harbor finally surrendered, six days after capture of France's greatest port was officially announced by the Allies. Allied engineers had been waiting impatiently to begin cleaning up the harbor badly needed to supply the Seventh Army.

More than 50,000 German front-line troops—possibly half the enemy force which garrisoned Southern France—were estimated to have been killed, wounded or captured in less than two weeks of lightning warfare. Allied brand. Fall of the naval base of Toulon over the weekend packed another 7,000 prisoners into Allied pens and brought the total of captives to more than 30,000. Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch's headquarters announced.

Some units of the American column which landed across the Rhône and struck the Rhône valley above Montellier travelled an incredible 200 miles in two days, reported Associated Press War Correspondent Edward Kennedy.

Reached Rhône Friday

Kennedy disclosed that American forces actually reached the Rhône last Friday and said that Allied headquarters withheld the news in order that the retreating Nazis, who are without adequate aerial observation should remain unaware of the trap as long as possible.

The German Eleventh Armored

Division, one of the units cut off by the swift American drive, said (Continued on Page 5, Col. 2)

WPB's New Boss Promises To Put End to "Intrigue"

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28 (AP)—J. A. Krug, the War Production Board's new boss, assured Senate investigators today that he will put an end to conflict within that agency if he has to fire all those responsible.

While he was before the committee, Sidney J. Weinberg resigned as a vice chairman of WPB with the assertion that the explosion which has blown apart the agency's high command was the work of "demagogic intriguers." He predicted that Krug will "root the intriguers" and unite WPB into one team.

Krug, before the Senate War Investigating committee, promised just that.

Krug's remarks were prompted by questioning from Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.) about "the conflict in the WPB between the Wilson group and the Nelson group."

Charles E. Wilson, executive vice-chairman, recently resigned because of what he called unjust attacks by aides of Chairman Donald M. Nelson. The chairman has gone to China on a presidential mission with his future in WPB a question. Krug, called back from an overseas assignment as a navy lieutenant commander, was appointed by President Roosevelt to run WPB in Nelson's absence.

Weinberg, telling reporters about his resignation, would not say whom he had in mind as "intriguers" but said they were on the "white collar ivory tower" level. He wouldn't call them the "underground" of the WPB, he said, for fear of dignifying them, but offered to settle for "Jermies."

Bowles Offers 11-Point Postwar Economic Plan

OPA Administrator's Pro- gram Insures "Stable, Full Employment"

SEATTLE, Aug. 28 (AP)—Chester Bowles, Office of Price Administrator, tonight offered an eleven-point program, in a speech prepared for delivery to the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, to insure the full production on farms and in factories he said was necessary to insure "a stable, full-employment economy" after the war.

He said "we can't go back" even to our 1940 levels, which would mean more than thirty per cent cut in the present level of production "and a shocking figure of 20,000,000 unemployed—an increase of 12,000,000 over the actual unemployment of 1940—assuming the same hours of labor as in 1940."

His economic program:

1. Governmental policies which will keep our price levels relatively stable.

Investments Encouraged

2. Passage of tax laws for the reconstruction and postwar period which will encourage investment of risk capital and discourage hoarding of savings by corporations or individuals.

3. We must encourage competitive free enterprise in every way x x x mean freedom to compete not freedom to suppress competition.
4. Credit facilities and perhaps research facilities should be made available by the government in order to encourage small firms to get started and help struggling firms to stay on their feet.

5. Basic commodity prices after the war must, in my opinion, be maintained at profitable levels. x x x
6. We must increase and broaden our social security benefits for older people and for people who are unemployed.

7. We must encourage in every way a vigorous program of housing and slum clearance.
8. We must develop a major works program x x x on a bold and imaginative scale x x x in close cooperation with states and municipalities.

Encourage Exports

9. We must encourage exports to the maximum possible extent.
10. We must get rid of wartime controls as quickly as possible, but x x x the problem of reconversion cannot be solved by slogans or by simply driving the so-called bureaucrats out of Washington.

11. We must continue—all of us—to work closely together, x x x Labor, management and farmers can exert tremendous group pressure on our government. During the next year or two, these three major groups will be joined by a fourth—our returning soldiers and sailors.

"Unless our productive power is fully unleashed and unless we are running at full productive capacity, these four major groups soon will be fighting among themselves—each for a share of the meager economic pie. x x x

"That can well lead to the eventual collapse of our democracy."

Bricker Will Speak In Parkersburg

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Aug. 28 (AP)—Governor John W. Bricker of Ohio, Republican vice-presidential nominee, will make the second major address of his campaign the night of September 15 at Parkersburg, Walter S. Hallanan, Republican national committeeman from West Virginia, announced tonight.

Hallanan said the hour for Gov. Bricker's talk had not been set, but scheduling of radio network time, Bricker's first major speech will be made at French Lick, Ind.

Soldier, Who Stuck by Gun To Kill Or Wound 30 Germans, Is Decorated

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28 (AP)—A morning of February 17, with a thirty-minute artillery barrage against Johnston's company, part of the Forty-fifth Infantry division, then a wave of about eighty Germans swept toward the American lines.

The riflemen in Johnston's company couldn't hit the Germans because of the darkness. But the deadly spray of his light machine gun halted them, dropped at least twenty-five German soldiers and wounded the remainder to retreat.

Later in the day, two Germans worked their way so close to the American lines that Johnston couldn't bring his machine gun to bear on them. He killed one with his pistol, got a rifle from another soldier and killed the other.

That night the company dropped back. Johnston was the last man to leave. He kept an all-night vigil in a new position and the next day beat off the Germans again, killing or wounding seven.

The company, outflanked, was ordered still farther back during the day. The Germans opened up on the

UNITED STATES FLAG ENTERS PARIS



AMERICAN TROOPS carry into Paris the first United States flag taken into the French capital by the forces advancing into the city August 26. Parisians wave from the curb. (AP Wirephoto via Signal Corps Radio.)

Paris Disorders Must Be Checked By Gen. De Gaulle

City Kept in Uproar by Elements of Maquis and French Forces

PARIS, Aug. 28 (AP)—Paris wants food, which the Allies can and will give her, and now that she is rid of the Germans, she also wants the French forces of the interior kept in check.

The Allies are determined that Gen. Charles De Gaulle must solve the latter problem.

Today, some seventy-two hours after Paris was liberated, the city was still in an uproar. Wild-eyed youths waving rifles and machine guns in one hand and driving careening automobiles with the other still roamed the streets.

Parade Requested

The majority of the Maquis and French forces of the interior, as described as level-headed patriots anxious to get on with the task of restoring peace and order.

De Gaulle requested that two divisions of British and American troops parade through Paris and it is likely such a show will be arranged but Gen. Dwight W. Eisenhower has given no indication that he plans to take over the policing of the city.

The need for food is evident on every hand. Already the Allies have arranged a fleet of 3,000 trucks to carry foodstuffs into the city. The present need has been estimated at 75,000 tons a month.

De Gaulle, who barely missed assassination Saturday at the hands of snipers who some resistance leaders believe were left behind by the German army for the express purpose of killing members of the French government, was reported to be in Southern France.

The French-controlled Vichy radio reported De Gaulle had conferred with Andre Diethelm, French commander.

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Security Conference Delegates Expected To Issue Report Today

U. S. Fliers Reported Beaten by Germans

By JOHN F. CHESTER

ELBEUF, FRANCE, Aug. 28 (AP)—The French underground today that crew members of an American Flying Fortress were publicly beaten, manacled and driven through the streets of this town by the Germans in a vain effort to impress the inhabitants.

Telling his story while the shells of a heavy Canadian artillery barrage whistled over this town on a Seine river bend below Rouen, he declared, "The American fliers were magnificent. They laughed in the faces of the Germans while they were being paraded with their hands chained together."

"This particular fortress crew made the mistake of opening their parachutes too soon after they jumped. The Germans had time to bring men to the landing area and round them up."

Gen. G. P. Zakharov's Second Russian Army in Northern Poland meanwhile scored a great victory by toppling the communications center of Ostrow-Mazowieck, fifty miles northeast of Warsaw, Moscow's bulletin disclosed.

Reds Take Pisk

On that front the Russians rolled ahead on a twenty-one-mile sector, capturing Pisk, thirty-two miles south of Germany's East Prussian border, and Czerwin, twelve miles northwest of Ostrow-Mazowieck, and only nine miles south-east of Ostrolenka, big German stronghold on the Narew river.

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In confirming what Berlin had said (Continued on Page 5, Col. 2)

Informant Tells Of Laval's Last Day in Paris

By DON WHITEHEAD

PARIS, Aug. 28 (AP)—The following story of Pierre Laval's last day in Paris was given by a man who was with Laval most of the day (Presumably this man was friendly to Laval).

At 12:30 p. m., Aug. 17, former Premier Edouard Herriot and Mrs. Herriot, who had been brought to Paris by Laval, came to the Hotel Matignon with German Ambassador Otto Abetz. On the previous day Herriot had been informed by the Gestapo that he was to be taken under arrest to either Nancy or Germany.

The Herriots went into an ante-room while Abetz and Laval discussed the German government's orders that the seat of the French government be moved, by force if necessary, from Vichy to Belfort, near the Swiss-German borders, because of the advance of Allied forces in France.

After Abetz and the Herriots departed Laval was left in a big office with a fireplace. He was smoking continuously and his face showed great emotional stress.

During the afternoon there was an exchange of notes between Laval and Abetz regarding the French government's move to Belfort.

In the note Laval said the action was an order of the Reich government and Laval would be taken forcibly if he refused.

At 8 p. m. Laval's last visitors assembled in the big room.

Laval was in his shirt sleeves. His white shirt was wet and open at the neck. His white tie was wrinkled and soiled. His hair disheveled and perspiration stood on his forehead.

The little collaborationist paced back and forth nervously with a cigarette dangling loosely from his lips.

"He looked like a man in mental torture," said Monsieur M., my informant.

Laval asked his secretary to read aloud his last letter to Abetz in German.

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Hayes Urges Full Production of War Materials on Holiday

BALTIMORE, Aug. 28 (AP)—Full production of war materials on Labor day, the traditional workingman's holiday, and the preceding weekend was urged today by Major General Philip Hayes, commanding general of the Third Service Command.

The Third Service Command is an important war production area (it includes Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia), in which a critical labor condition prevails. Any let-down, even if it is over one week-end might well delay by that much time a complete victory in France," he said.

The War Department previously had announced that it wanted full production schedules over the usual holiday period, especially in war plants.

Russian Forces Crack Germany's Last Big Natural Defense Barrier

Troops Cross Carpathians and Penetrate Ten Miles into Hungarian- Held Transylvania

By W. W. HERCHER

LONDON, Tuesday, Aug. 29 (AP)—Soviet troops, cracking Germany's last big natural defense wall in the east, crossed the Carpathians yesterday and penetrated ten miles inside Hungarian-held Transylvania in a swift drive aimed at trapping scores of thousands of disaster-ridden Germans caught south of the mountains in the Ploesti-Bucharest area of capitulated Romania.

Simultaneously, Red Marines, spilling out of ships of the Black sea fleet, captured Romania's second seaport of Sulina in the south-east and overran the Danube delta by seizing Tulcea, forty-two miles inland, a port at the head of the Danube's three channels.

Other Soviet land armies captured Braila, the Romanian port on the twisting Danube farther west, cleaned out the Galati defenses in the center, and plunged on toward the rich Ploesti oil wells and Bucharest. Moscow dispatches said tank-tipped Russian spearheads were within fifty miles of the east, but the communists did not mention the Ploesti-Bucharest sector where Romanian troops are locked in fierce struggles with their former allies.

11,000 Prisoners Taken

Russian troops crossed into Hungarian Transylvania through the pine-clad Oltuz pass at Poiana-Sarata. Gen. Rodion Y. Malinovsky's Second Ukrainian Army units then rolled on ten miles through Bretea, only forty-three miles northeast of Brasov, the Romanian-held city which controls four of the Nazi escape passes from Romania into Hungary.

Eleven thousand more German prisoners fell to Malinovsky's troops and the Third Ukrainian Army under Gen. Feodor I. Tolbukhin, and the latter army completed the liquidation of twelve Nazi divisions, originally estimated at between 40,000 and 80,000 men, which had been trapped southwest of Chisinau, fallen Bessarabian provincial capital.

Axis casualties on the eastern front since the big summer offensive began on June 23 are now well past the 1,000,000 mark, on the basis of Moscow announcements.

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Church-Hillman Exchange Marks Campaign Spending Investigation

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28 (AP)—A NH told the Senate that a magazine article by Hillman entitled "The Truth about the PAC" only covered the "real truth" that the PAC is an "enormous danger" to labor interests.

Bridges said the New Republic, which published the article, had the campaign of Joseph P. Morton in Italy recently that he could see Bulgaria's peace overtures only in the light of the activity of Bulgarian forces of occupation, according to dispatch from Bari, Italy, dated Sunday.

Developments Shaking Reich

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UNDER ARREST



THE MOSCOW RADIO has announced that Marshal Ion Antonescu (above), deposed Romanian Premier, is under arrest, taken in hand by the Romanian Royal Guard of King Mihai. An earlier report from Swiss sources claimed he had been assassinated during the coup d'etat, and a Berlin radio said Antonescu had fled to Germany.

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Allied Surrender Terms May Reach Bulgaria Soon

By WADE WERNER

LONDON, Aug. 28 (AP)—Allied surrender terms are expected to be presented to an envoy of Bulgaria within a few days and the Germans put on the pressure today to keep this Balkan satellite from joining Romania in flight from the Nazi orbit.

Peace terms drawn by the European Advisory Commission were submitted to Washington and Moscow for approval, and they are believed to be in the hands of the Bulgarian government. The terms are believed to be in the hands of the Bulgarian government.

The pressure was on against Finland, Hungary and Slovakia, with the Russians calling on them to get out of the war before they too are carried down with the final crash of the Reich.

The German news agency DNB said Gustave Beckerle, the Reich's minister to Bulgaria, was hastening back to Sofia to discuss "with the Bulgarian government the new situation in that country."

Bulgaria is believed to have six divisions in Macedonia and Southern Serbia, heavily outnumbering the German troops in that region.

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Storm Eastward In Thirty-Mile Advance; Chase Fleeing Germans

Slab toward Sedan as Allies Pursue Nazis from Bridgeheads across the Lower Seine

By WILLIAM F. BONI

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Aug. 28 (AP)—Powerful American forces broke across the Marne at Meaux today and stormed on eastward in a thirty-mile advance to within five miles of the world war battlefield of Chateau-Thierry.

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In their advance on Chateau- Thierry, where their fathers helped to shatter the final German offensive in 1918, the doughboys were thirty miles east of Lagny, a Marne town whose capture was announced yesterday.

110 Miles from Saar

With their breakthrough at Meaux, which blasted enemy hope of a determined stand along the natural barrier of the upper Marne, the Americans were twenty-five miles south of the forest of Compiègne, where the First World War armistice was signed and where Adolf Hitler forced his harsh truce on France in 1940.

The general ten-mile advance below Reims will force the Germans to decide quickly whether they will try to defend the robot bomb coast to the northwest of fall back toward the Reich.

The Americans were thirty-five to forty miles away from Reims on the southwest, south and south-east before Chateau-Thierry, at the big road junction of Montreuil at Sezanne, and at an undefined point about thirty miles north of Troyes, the farthest eastward advance eighty-five miles east of Paris.

All these latest surges on the plains between the Marne and the Seine were from ten to eighteen miles north of last reported positions, and outlined a great wheeling movement which now has swept to within about 110 miles of German's frontier at the Saar.

Patton's Tanks Rumble On

These American columns were knifing in behind the Germans Fifteenth Army, which was believed being bolstered by troops pouring into France along virtually every rail line from Belgium despite a storm of bombs and bullets from hundreds of Allied warplanes.

In the race from Meaux the tanks of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton bowled through a La Ferte-Sur-Jouarre and rumbled on east.

One field dispatch said they had reached Chateau-Thierry, and while it was not confirmed it was possible that Patton's columns might maintain radio contact with the troops of this war, but for at least (Continued on Page 5, Col. 1)

Eighth Air Force Makes Heaviest Raid since D-day

By ERNEST AGNEW

LONDON, Aug. 28 (AP)—United States Eighth Air Force fighters today made their heaviest raids since D-day on enemy railroad junctions and equipment in all-day attacks ranging over the Franco-German border, Belgium and Holland, as Ninth air force Mustang medium bombers continued the offensive at dusk with sharp attacks in France against fuel dumps at Amiens and ammunition stores at L'Aigle.

Aimed at liquidating any attempts to bolster the fading German defenses, 500 fighters ranged over thousands of square miles attacking from Nijmegen, Holland, to Frankfurt, Germany, and encountered negligible opposition.

The virtually continuous attacks shot up thirteen German troops, strafing German soldiers as they leaped from the trains to seek cover, destroyed or damaged 270 locomotives and 1,484 railroad cars, shot up 237 trucks, blew up two ammunition trains and set fire to several ammunition cars.

In addition, twenty-one planes were destroyed thirteen in the air and eight on the ground.

Nineteen of the Mustangs, Thunderbolts and Lightnings failed to return.

Early tonight Halifaxes and Lancasters of the RAF bomber command attacked a number of flying bomb launching sites in Northern France.

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Emphasis Will Be Placed on Planes To Bomb Japan

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28 (AP) — Increased emphasis on planes to bomb Japan is indicated.

Within a few months, the Office of War Information reported, long-range bombers and long-distance transports will remain the only "expanding" aircraft programs.

Long-range bombers, such as the Boeing Superfortress (B-29) and the recently announced Consolidated Commodore (B-32) are designed primarily with Japan in mind.

In a review of the labor situation in various military categories, OWI said present indications do not point to a shortage in the aircraft industry, which accounts for roughly one-third of the entire munitions program.

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Herbert L. Boone Sent to Jail in Default of Fines

In default of fines totalling \$161.45, Herbert L. Boone, 121 O'Fallon street, was committed to the county jail for seventy days on charges of drunken driving, leaving the scene of an accident and driving without a chauffeur's license.

Officers Frank A. Shober and John H. Newhouse arrested Boone after a truck he was driving struck Jacqueline Saville, 12, daughter of Eldridge Saville, 402 Grand avenue, as she rode a bicycle on Thomas street.

Saturday morning a witness testified that he was driving his car behind the Novick Transfer company truck that was operated by Boone, and that the truck proceeded in a "weaving manner" down Wineow street. The witness said that he saw the accident but could not be certain that the front or rear of the car struck the girl. He stopped and gave assistance before calling police headquarters. The girl was treated for brush burns on her left elbow, leg and ankle and right wrist at the Memorial hospital.

Boone testified that he was tired from driving all night and part of Friday. He said that he had taken a few drinks but denied that he was drunk. He said that he stopped the truck when he became sick.

Police testified that Boone was intoxicated and that the front wheels of the truck were on the curb at the corner of Thomas and Springdale streets.

As a result of an accident August 18 on North Centre street in which his car allegedly struck a machine operated by Samuel D. Maxey, Sr., this city, E. B. Dunnick, RFD 1, was fined \$10 and costs Saturday morning in the trial magistrate's court. Trooper Ira G. Unger investigated the accident.

Social Security Board Jobs Will Be Offered By Mrs. Grace Bostick

Mrs. Grace Bostick, representative of the Social Security Board, will arrive at the Cumberland office of the United States Employment Service, Thursday August 31, to re-

crut urgently needed machine operator trainees for duty in Baltimore. She will remain here through September 5.

Those selected will be trained to operate tabulating, alphabetic card punch, sorting and other office machines while receiving pay. Opportunities for advancement are offered those employees who show merit.

Appointments will be made in accordance with War Manpower Commission policies and employment stabilization plans.

Positions with the board are for the duration of the war, and not to exceed six months thereafter. The Baltimore office has 4,800 employees, 4,300 of whom are in the accounting division.

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A "Hell of a Way To Run a Railroad"

A PARADOXICAL SITUATION, which Mark Sullivan in his dispatch published on this page characterizes as startling, obtains with respect to government direction of war production. This is that the War Production Board, bereft of responsible guidance, is operating haphazardly through its subordinates. This is only the natural sequence of a long and deplorable series of blunders respecting this important war agency of the government which have marked the tragic vacillation, indecision and temporizing of President Roosevelt, and serves again to refute the argument so blithely and frequently advanced that prosecution of the war program has to be continued with him in charge as the indispensable man.

When war was started in Europe in September, 1939, demand arose in this country as a matter of prudent foresight for the creation of a munitions administrator with power to convert civil industry to armament production. Nothing was done for nine months at the end of which time, with the war roaring abroad, the president brought forth something called the National Defense Advisory Commission, which had vague powers and several members with equal voice. It proved only a sort of debating society and flopped.

Matters then ran along until January 7, 1941, when the president, under constant prodding, set up the Office of Production Management as a bifurcated monstrosity with William S. Knudsen and Sidney Hillman sharing equal authority—a team which failed to pull together.

In August of that year, this failure having become patent, the OPM was merged into another agency called SPAB (The Supply Priorities and Allocation Board). Henry Wallace was made chairman and Donald M. Nelson became its director.

When the Japanese made their sneak attack on Pearl Harbor in the following December, no United States industry had been converted to war and the nation was unprepared as ever in that respect. The SPAB proved another failure and in January, 1942, it was abolished and the War Production Board was created with Donald M. Nelson as chairman.

Later in that year the president apparently was not satisfied with the way Nelson was doing but instead of firing him he sought to compromise matters by naming Charles E. Wilson as vice chairman to work under Nelson. This was on September 17.

Still authority seemed undefined and results unsatisfactory, so on May 27, 1943, the Office of War Mobilization was created with James P. Byrnes as director, having authority over Nelson. With OWM superimposed on WPB, friction developed between Nelson and Wilson and office politics rife in WPB.

The storm raged with scarcely a lull. Wilson repeatedly offered to resign but the president and Mr. Byrnes repeatedly refused to let him go. Nelson, it seems, had nothing to say about that.

Then this month came the announcement from the White House that the president was sending Nelson to China for "several months."

It marks not only the indecision and vacillation of the president, and his incapacity therefore as an administrator, but also proves again the futility of trying to solve administrative problems by the mere expedient of placing board upon board and multiplying authority instead of clearly defining and centering it where it should be centered. Here in glaring manner, as so frequently been the case with respect to prosecution of the war program, the president has provided ample proof that he is not by any means the "indispensable" man his supporters aver.

Surplus Property Money Should Go on the Debt

INCLUDED in both the Senate and House versions of the surplus property disposal measures is one provision on which this newspaper believes that all the people will heartily agree.

This is that the proceeds of the sale of this surplus material shall be applied to a reduction of the national debt.

Such application of the proceeds is so logical and fair and obvious that it has generally been taken for granted that the funds would be so disposed and little attention has been paid to any necessity for a strict requirement for it in the law.

ation be given to the enormous public debt, which is expanding by billions as the war costs continue and will probably be greater when the war is finally ended than many have been able to calculate. The debt has been largely incurred by payments for the implements of warfare hence any recapture of those costs should be applied to the debt, thus creating a virtuous circle. It is a pity that the president's sentiment in Congress appears steadfast on this score. But Congress should be vigilant about this, else the New Dealers will slip in some loose provisions or technical loopholes whereby they will be enabled to grab some of this surplus property refund.

The Use of China As a Doghouse

SOMETHING will have to be done soon for the rehabilitation of China in the eyes of American travelers. Every schoolboy knows that whenever President Roosevelt delegates a prominent American to visit China, vague fears arise in many hearts. There are those who think that the person dispatched was sent to Chungking to get rid of him. There are those who are concerned over what will be done in the man's absence. It has got to the point that an explanation is expected of the president whenever a mission to China is proposed, as witness the Donald M. Nelson case.

Willkie and Wallace went to China. Other figures have flown to China and back, and while nothing serious happened to them on their return, they invariably issued silly statements on their return. When a public man prepares to retire from active business, if only for a time, he arranges a trip to Chungking. It is unfortunate that events have made a visit to the capital of one of the great United Nations almost synonymous with fading hopes. It is not one of the aims of this great war to stigmatize foreign capitals. But things have gone so far now it would be difficult to convince a prominent American that good fortune awaited him after a visit to Chungking.

Justice demands an early reversal of this attitude if only in the interest of the Chinese tourist trade. Perhaps an endorsement could be got up to finance trips to Chungking by Americans who could prove beyond doubt that wealth or fame awaited them on their return. Fairness to China demands some such measures of relief.

Nazi Administration Brutal and Selfish

PARIS, one of the world's largest cities, four years of German occupation during the years of German occupation. This circumstance, of course was not a secret, but details of the suffering undergone by the population of the French capital, now being revealed, confirm the worst that was suspected.

Under German occupation there were only two classes who ate well—the Germans who controlled the currency and the extremely wealthy French. Most people could not afford to pay the inflated prices for food and were forced to seek markets beyond Paris. The average family dispatched a member once or twice weekly on a bicycle to the country to replenish the cupboard.

Prices in the country were somewhat lower than in Paris. In the restaurants a dollar meal consisted of a few carrots, ersatz coffee and bread. Germans and the wealthy French obtained meals of heavy soup, meat, vegetables, cheese, fruit and wine, paying \$10. Others stood in the bread lines, if they had ration cards.

Because of these conditions, it is alleged the wealthy Parisians have sunk to a lower degree of popularity than at any time since the French revolution. Normal supplies of food may not be available in Paris until another crop has been harvested, but relief shipments by the Allies will relieve conditions this fall and winter.

The Nazi administration of Paris was inept, inefficient, discriminatory and unjust, as it has been in its other occupied areas. Moreover, it has been subtle and brutal, but that is the logical consequence of the underlying Nazi philosophy which, as events have adequately proved, is a blight upon modern civilization.

It seems strange that it should be necessary to send any American representatives to China after Henry Wallace had been there.

The Corn Grows In the Night

By MARSHALL MASLIN

There is a season of the year the farmers of the middle west look out over their broad fields of corn and say to their families:

"Well, the corn must have grown at least three inches last night!"

In the waning evening that is past the green fields grow. The moon rose and looked down on the rich corn. The little animals of the night came forth. The owl swooped low from tree to fence post. The stalks thickened and lengthened. If you were there, you could have HEARD the corn growing, might almost have seen the miracle of the enlarging corn.

On those wide plains of the mid-west, the fruitful growing is in the night time—never in the day when the sun is powerful and his rays beat scorchingly on man and his crops alike and the world bakes and shimmers in the waves of heat.

The corn does not grow when the land seems most alive, when the world is busiest and its activity most plainly seen. It grows in the darkness, when man sleeps and the world rests.

And that's when men and women grow, too. They do not grow in the crowd, they grow alone. They do not grow in the struggle, they grow after the struggle when they are away from the struggle. Thus they grow in the quiet interludes, when they seem to be resting, and only when they have time to think.

In the heat of conflict, in the strain of living, they THINK they grow. They think it is then that they increase in stature, become richer in understanding.

But their time of growth is not then... The corn grows three inches in a summer's night. Men grow in their destined stature in their hours of stillness, when they say to themselves: "What is this all about? What does it mean and where am I going and what shall I do?"

We grow when we get away from the things we are doing and ask why we do them. And if we have no comforting darkness in our lives, and moments of quiet living, it is difficult to grow at all.

DONALD NELSON'S "SECRET" MISSION TO CHINA



Control of the War Production Board By Its Underlings Is Termed Startling

By MARK SULLIVAN

The explosion in the War Production Board last week was sensational, and more developments will follow. But to see it as merely a clash or series of clashes, or to think of it as something within one government department, would be superficial. The condition is wider and deeper than that. Consider just what happened.

In one of the most important administrative departments, WPB, the No. 2 man is out. This No. 2 man, Mr. Charles E. Wilson, was powerful in the administration, as vice chairman of WPB, and also powerful in his own right—in private life he is head of the General Electric Company.

This No. 2 man is out, not because the No. 1 man wanted him out. The No. 1 man, Mr. Donald M. Nelson, chairman of WPB, did not fire Mr. Wilson; he assured Mr. Wilson that he was fully satisfactory.

Neither is Mr. Wilson out because the president wanted him out. The president received his resignation reluctantly, and on two previous occasions when Mr. Wilson wanted to resign, Mr. Roosevelt urged him to remain.

Why, then, is Mr. Wilson out? It is a remarkable reason. He stated it in his letter of resignation, and amplified it in even stronger words at a press conference. Mr. Wilson is out because of "attacks" upon him "inspired by subordinate officials of the board." These attacks, inspired by subordinate officials, and circulated subtly and without the "knowledge or approval" of the head of WPB, Mr. Nelson. Yet, though the head of WPB did not approve the attacks, he was apparently unable to stop them. Mr. Wilson apprehended that "instead of being discontinued, these attacks upon me will be increased." So, Mr. Wilson got out.

Subordinates More Powerful
Here is a remarkable condition—the subordinates more powerful than the head. The subordinates are more powerful than the head of their own department—and more powerful than even the president, for in getting Mr. Wilson out, they achieve a result which the president did not want, which he acutely deplored.

The condition is at once so startling and so difficult to grasp that it cannot be too much emphasized. Here is a group of men, subordinates in a government department. They are not responsible to the public. The public has never heard their names. They are not responsible to Congress. They are responsible only to each other.

PUBLICITY CHIEF



GODFREY HAMMOND, above, of Scarsdale, N. Y., has been appointed publicity director for the Dewey-Bricker campaign. A veteran in the publishing and promotion field, he is president of the Popular Science Publishing Company.

to the head of their department, and above him to the president. Yet against the wish of the head of their department and of the president, they do something which profoundly affects public policy and the conduct of public business, including conduct of the war, because the army and navy are dependent on WPB for supplies.

Anonymous Operation
To a large extent the government has come to be operated by anonymous officials of subordinate rank. One reason is mere size, sprawling unwieldiness. In department, more things must be done than can be done by the head of the department. And in the administration as a whole, more things must be done than any president or any man can have adequate information or sufficient time for thought to do. Heads of departments, and even more the president, must take action on the basis of reports put up to them by subordinates, sometimes accompanied by recommendations suggested by the subordinates.

Some remedies are in sight. End of the war, by reducing the number of controls exercised by the federal government, will reduce the burdens on department heads and on the president, and reduce the number of subordinate officials. Another remedy is decentralization, preventing the federal government from taking over functions now exercised by the states. That Congress has this in mind is shown by its insistence that the administration of unemployment benefits for war workers shall be carried on by the states, not by the federal government.

Price and Wage Boost Is Branded Jolt for Labor

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28—The headlines say:

"Eggs lead upswing in cost of living."

The announcement is made by Mr. Roosevelt's labor secretary, Frances Perkins, who makes no comment.

Around town, the common interpretation is that the President is getting ready to grant another general wage increase before elections, and Miss Perkins is submitting figures in advance to justify it.

Simultaneously, coming to my desk, is a letter from Elmer Kennedy, of a Colorado Typographical Union, objecting to my conclusion that labor gets its wages advances from business.

He says (and all labor looks at it this way, through the wrong end of the spyglass) wages paid by business are considered expenses, the same as taxes, cost of material, etc., and profits are what is left after the expenses are paid.

Behind these two events lies the whole story of the unwise, if not suicidal course of current labor and political leadership on wages, taxes, and profits. I think this can be demonstrated plainly and simply so all who lend an attentive eye and half a thought can see it.

Every time a price goes up, all wages automatically decline to the same extent. Every cent more you pay for eggs, bread, fresh vegetables, fruit, etc., is a cent reduction in your pay.

But does Miss Perkins, the labor secretary, protest? Do labor leaders fight the increasing of prices? Not at all. Oppositely, they seek out price increases, adjust their statistics so as to stress price increase, in order to claim more wages.

Consumer Interest Overlooked
They do not have the consumers' interest in their basic matter, although they are consumers. They strive always to get ahead of the game with demands for wage in-

creases, but are always behind it. Indeed, they do worse than that from their own standpoint. They advocate wage increases which will directly cause price increases, and thus defeat themselves as consumers by their own leadership.

How is the worker better off with a fifty percent wage increase if prices go up 100 percent, or even fifty-one percent? Such a wage increase is really a reduction.

Is this unwise, self-defeating labor leadership due to the fact that the union leaders are, after all, mainly politicians and, therefore, follow the ways of the politician rather than the true, wise, economic group interest?

The official position of the unions on business profits is just as cockeyed to me. Yes, Mr. Kennedy, wages paid truly are expenses and what is left as profits as subject to taxes (except social security, etc.). But as these expenses increase, profits decrease or prices rise. There is no other way to pay increases.

Inflation Tool
If labor keeps forcing "prices up by constantly increasing wages, it will not only always be behind, but will cause inflation and the destruction of its own recent wage gains."

By increasing taxes on business, it likewise reduces the pot from which it draws its income. It destroys incentive capital and investment and thus also a greater opportunity to work at increased wages.

Labor, in simple commonsense and self-interest, should advocate a decrease in business taxes (the opposite course to the one it is now pursuing) so there will be a greater availability of funds for wage increases.

The fundamental interests of labor are the same as business. If there are no profits, there can be no wage increases. If prices are allowed to run continuously up, wage increases are false manna.

Labor should crusade against prices and work for business profits. **Poor Alternatives**
If labor leadership, by its current unwise course, destroys profits and hinders good business, there will be nothing left but government ownership through socialism or communism, and then your wage scale will be those of servants of the government, and you will have unimaginative, unenergetic business conducted by government, with less work, less production, less of a country.

Remember government operation of the railroads in the last war? Look at government working condition here today, inefficiency, waste, bureaucratic control, political pull for soft jobs, soft work but also soft pay—And no one has the right to strike against the government.

I do not want to overstate my case, but I think, in all commonsense, labor is travelling the worst possible policies for its own best ends.

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Full Surrender Is Finally Backed By the Russians

By CENTRAL PRESS

WASHINGTON—President Roosevelt's momentous statement at Pearl Harbor reiterating Premier Stalin's endorsement of the Casablanca "unconditional surrender" terms may go a long way toward allaying fear that the Soviets are playing a lone hand in the European diplomatic game.

For many weeks, Russia has been endorsing and sponsoring a "Pro German" movement in Moscow with the avowed purpose of pointing out to the German people that they can expect lenient treatment in an armistice with the Red government. They need, so the Russians say, only to rid themselves of Nazi party control. No mention was made of unconditional surrender.

Sixteen captured German generals in Russia only recently signed a statement urging the German people to revolt against Hitler and to throw out Herr Hitler.

All this led to speculation that Stalin didn't really disapprove of the German Junker military caste and that Russia was playing her own game with the Germans in Eastern Europe.

Now President Roosevelt gives assurance that the unconditional surrender terms which he and Prime Minister Churchill agreed upon at Casablanca have the support of Soviet Russia, too.

Pacific Theater Emphasized

Democratic politicians are basing their election calculations on belief that Germany will fold up well in advance of the November elections. As a result, more emphasis is expected to be placed on the Pacific theater in speeches between now and the end of the political campaign.

The idea of the Democrats is to build up Mr. Roosevelt as commander-in-chief in the Pacific war as well as in the war in Europe, so that if the battle with Germany terminates there still will be support for their contention that FDR must be retained in office for military reasons.

The president's trip to Pearl Harbor already is seen as emphasizing increased importance of the Japanese war and will do no harm to the Democratic campaign strategy.

Democratic party leaders recognize that too early collapse of Germany, from a political point of view, will affect the Roosevelt-Truman ticket adversely and nothing can be done about it but to build up the Japanese angle.

If Germany should collapse in the next few weeks, the war against Japan will receive new impetus, as will plans for the peace and for postwar security.

Information reaching Washington indicates that the situation in Germany is worse than most reports indicate and that if Hitler succeeds in keeping the lid on the seething cauldron much longer it will be a superhuman achievement.

American Trucks Get Credit

Military men in Washington believe that the Russian advance against the Nazis on the eastern front could not have been swifter had the Soviets been engaged merely in field maneuvers instead of actual combat.

But, they hasten to add, much of the Russian success was due to American-made two and one-half-ton trucks now replacing rail transportation in conquered areas which the Nazis destroyed.

Because of production difficulties affecting the heavy-heavy trucks, War Mobilizer James Byrnes included them among the top priority items under his new labor directive to spur lagging munitions output.

Top Rankers Toll Heavy

More high ranking army and navy officers have been lost in World War II than in any war in this nation's history. Twelve admirals and twelve generals have lost their lives since Pearl Harbor from illness, combat, plane crashes or other causes.

In World War I no admirals were

killed in action or died from other causes. Only one general was a fatality. He was Brig. Gen. Edward Slinger, who died of wounds suffered in action in France.

The first American admiral of flag rank to be killed in action was Rear Admiral Isaac C. Kidd, 57, who lost his life aboard the U. S. Arizona during the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor.

According to navy statistics, no admirals were lost in World War I, the Spanish-American war or the Civil war.

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Silence Cloaks Allied Situation In East France

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

Official Allied reports draw a dark picture for the Nazi foe in the valley of the Seine to the north and that of the Rhine in the south; but they are significantly silent as to the situation in between, the two invasion fronts in East Central France.

They fail to record the whereabouts of most advanced elements of Eisenhower's and Patch's forces reaching for a junction which would drive the foe out of all but the northeast corner of France and expose Germany itself to a combined attack.

Allies Control "Funnel"
In the south a sudden eruption of Patch's troops into the Central Rhone valley north of Montelimar has trapped the bulk of German troops racing from the Rhone delta area for escape. All traffic from the Mediterranean coast up the Rhone valley funneling to the Montelimar-Valence bottleneck, a strip some twenty miles long and less than half that wide through which all rail and road connections squeeze their way north. French patriot forces dominate the western hills and the French and American troops hold all the high ground to the east.

In the north Eisenhower's armies are now astride the Seine for a 200 mile stretch from near its rise to south to Rouen on the Seine estuary. A half-score bridgeheads east of the Seine exclusive of its crossing in Paris itself are noted to indicate a huge new Allied wheeling movement swinging to grind enemy forces out of all Northeast France.

More Seine Crossings Reported
It seems clear that with elimination of virtually all of the deadly pocket for the foe west of the Seine except close to the coast below Rouen, General Montgomery, Allied field commander in the north, is shifting his American elements southeastward. Two Canadian crossings of the river close to Rouen are reported and two British bridgeheads above that. The original American Seine crossing near Mantes seems to be the left of the American part of the line now.

American forces supplemented by the Second French armored division in Paris hold the rest of the Seine line to Troyes or beyond but south of that point there is an official black-out on information as to the whereabouts of roving columns between the Seine and the Loire. The present location of "Butler's task force," the Seventh army unit which took Grenoble and reached the Franco-Swiss border near Geneva several days ago, also is unrevealed.

Storm Eastward

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some of their field officers it was a return to a battleground where they fought more than two decades ago.

Among the other towns fought up in the whirlwind advance were Compiègne, thirty-five miles east of Paris, and La Ferte-Gaucher, ten miles farther on.

Swiftly, tanks and infantry were consolidating assault lines along the Marne and Upper Seine along an eighty-five-mile front while the spearheads swept on in a great wheeling movement designed to turn any positions the enemy may try to plant on France's plains.

Fresh troubles brewed for the Germans northwest of Paris, where a fifth bridgehead was forced across the Seine while a battle of extermination thundered toward a climax for 20,000 Germans still caught in pockets south of the river.

The British Second Army broke across at St. Pierre-Du-Vauvrey and gouged out five miles of territory against faint-hearted resistance sixteen miles southeast of the doomed enemy bastion at Rouen, his last upon the Seine.

Troops and tanks were streaming across the river at the British bridgehead of Vernon, the American at Mantes, and two Canadian at Elbeuf and Pont-de-L'Arche, eight miles south of Rouen.

They were marshaling their forces for a fresh offensive which may drive up Robert bomb row along the Channel coast, enveloping Rouen and the great Atlantic port of Le Havre en route.

Strongest opposition appeared before the American at Mantes, but even there good progress was reported and it appeared that the Germans had neither the men nor the stomach for a strong stand.

British Widen Bridgehead
Lt. Gen. Miles C. Dempsey's Second British Army also expanded its bridgehead at Vernon to a depth of three miles and a width of five. One unconfirmed report said some Allied units were as much as twenty-five miles north of the river.

The Canadian First Army ran fire to heavy mortar and machine gun fire as it closed on the last German south of the Seine, but it was launching the same sort of annihilating attack with artillery and bombs that marked the final liquidation of the Normandy trap.

Trains apparently loaded with reinforcements and rocket bombs jammed lines leading into France from Belgium. Some of them were blown up with tremendous explosions as they flashed beneath the sights of Allied fighters and fighter-bombers which destroyed or damaged 400 locomotives in the forenoon in one of the biggest aerial round-ups of the war.

MEN AND WOMEN IN SERVICE

Sgt. Paul William Mackert is stationed somewhere in Southern France, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mackert, Shriver avenue, Sgt. Mackert has been overseas for twenty months, having been in Africa and Italy.

Pvt. Ernest B. Treat has completed his basic training at Camp Crowder, Mo., and a three month schooling in the Signal Center Clerk school, and has been made instructor of the Signal Center Procedure Training branch of armed services training force at Crowder, according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Helen Treat, Helen street.

Cpl. Edward Francis Barnett was with an anti aircraft battery entering Paris, France, according to word received at his home, 211 Bedford street. Cpl. Barnett also wrote that the army is traveling fast to keep up with the retreating German army. His brother, Sgt. Alfred R. Barnett, is with the infantry in France also. He has been overseas two years. Both young men are well known here being prominent in local sports.

Pfc. Luther W. Schramm, Lonaconing, has been awarded the Infantry Commendation Medal for gallantry with one silver star for participating in a major battle and the good conduct ribbon.

Pfc. Thomas Will has returned to Camp Blanding, Fla., after visiting his wife and children in Lonaconing. Pvt. Robert H. Leasure, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold H. Leasure, 308 Woodside street, this city, has been enrolled in the technical school for training as a radio mechanics student at Truxa field, Madison, Wis. He came to Truxa field from Keeler field, Miss.

Pvt. F. Patrick Allender has been transferred from Camp Stewart, Ga., to the army engineers at Camp Clifton, La.

Pvt. Leroy Griffith, 31, son of Thomas G. Griffith, Baltimore pike, received the Purple Heart decoration recently at England General Hospital, Atlantic City, N. J. Pvt. Griffith entered the air corps in May, 1942, and has been overseas since last February. He received a flash wound in the left thigh during a combat mission over France. A brother, Sgt. Thomas G. Griffith, Jr., is stationed in Hawaii.

Sgt. Robert E. Miller, 20, son of John P. Miller, Route 2, city, who early in the invasion of France landed with his unit to operate the first American air strip there, has been promoted to staff sergeant. It was announced from headquarters at an advanced Ninth Air Force fighter base in France. Sgt. Miller, an airplane mechanic, is engaged in the repair and maintenance of the aircraft of a Thunderbolt fighter group. Prior to entering the service, he was an automobile mechanic.

Staff Sgt. Jack M. Crites, a paratrooper, notified his mother, Mrs. Matthew Burley, 242 Bond street, of his arrival in England. Sgt. Crites enlisted in the service in June, 1943, and trained at Fort Benning, Ga., Camp Mackall, C., and Camp Blanding, Fla. He was an instructor at Fort Benning before going overseas.

Cpl. William A. Pritts, now located in France, writes to his wife in Westernport that he has landed on a well-established beachhead. He relates that he has seen towns almost completely destroyed. He was recently presented the Good Conduct medal.

Maj. John A. Nave, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude F. Nave, 609 Piedmont avenue, has been promoted to lieutenant colonel at Camp Berkeley, Abilene, Tex. Col. Nave, a graduate of Allegheny high school, practiced medicine at Beaver Falls, Pa., following his graduation from the University of Pennsylvania Medical School at Philadelphia.

Raphael V. Ogle, son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Ogle, 931 Gay street, was recently promoted to quartermaster second class in the navy. He is serving aboard a newly commissioned salvage and rescue craft in South American waters. He reported home recently that his ship was sunk during the cross channel invasion of France.

Sgt. James J. O'Rourke, Barton, went from England to France in the June invasion. Prior to his transfer from this country to England, he was stationed in Georgia and Ohio with the Army Medical Corps. Later he was placed in the Civil Affairs Allied Military Government and left for overseas duty.

Pvt. Charles E. Caldwell, 28 State street, a recent inductee, has been assigned to Keeler Field, Miss.

Sgt. Robert Bruce Ryan has been awarded the "Good Conduct Medal" for "exemplary behavior, efficiency, and fidelity" in the service. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvey R. Ryan, Hazen Road. He is serving in the Army Air Corps in Alaska.

Cpl. Wilbur E. Twigg arrived in France recently, according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Helen (DuVall) Twigg, Paw Paw, W. Va.

Cpl. James Whitford, Jr., who has been stationed at Farmingdale, Long Island, N. Y., has been transferred to Fort Bragg, N. C. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Whitford, Hyndman, Pa.

Flight Officer Kenneth H. Tichnell, 20 son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tichnell, RFD 3, Keyser, W. Va., received his commission and pilot's wings recently at graduation exercises at Blytheville, Ark. Now stationed at Malden, Mo., P-O Tichnell is a graduate of Oakland High School and formerly resided in Mt. Lake Park. He recently spent a 15-day leave with his parents.

Samuel H. Brady, MM 3-c, husband of Mrs. June Brady, 439 Pennsylvania avenue, is stationed on San Clemente Island in California.

Mrs. Nelden McCort, Roberts Place, received word of the arrival in Italy of her husband, Cpl. McCort.

Mrs. Harry B. Bosley, city, received word that her husband, Pfc. Bosley, arrived in England. Pfc. Bosley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Bosley, 800 Lafayette avenue, is stationed at Camp Claiborne, La., with a railway battalion, before going overseas. He wrote home that England is a beautiful country but that the United States would look much better to him now.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard T. Blank, Bowling Green, have been advised of the arrival in Hawaii of their son, Thomas E. Blank, 2-c.

Sgt. Edward Dilger, Washington street, who had been stationed in Natal, Brazil, for 14 months as a

Church-Hillman

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anything on the contests in which Reps. Starnes, of Alabama, Costello, of California, and Kleberg, all Democrats, were defeated.

Local CIO labor groups, he conceded, may have lent financial aid in the campaigns. Taking note of reports that the CIO had a hand in unseating the three, Hillman said his organization had been "credited" with the defeat of a "number of reactionary candidates."

"We have no great interest where the credit lies. We are concerned with results and in our view, the results have been good."

Committee counsel, J. J. Caddell, questioned Hillman specifically about the Starnes, Costello and Kleberg contests.

Hillman submitted contributions, including \$855 to the campaign of Helen Gahagan Douglas, the actress, in California; \$4,500 in an unsuccessful effort to defeat Rep. Cox (D-Ga.) and \$2,000 to return Luther Patrick, a former member, to the House as an Alabama representative. The PAC also spent \$2,000 against Rep. Fish (R-N.Y.), the list showed.

It is up to these local units of the CIO to decide on candidates, Hillman insisted, adding: "We have no purge list, public or secret."

"We are not an appendage of either major political party. We nor have we any desire to 'capture' either party," Hillman testified in an explanation of the CIO-PAC aims.

"We seek to influence thinking, the program and the choice of candidates."

The PAC is non-partisan—there is nothing to prevent it from endorsing a Republican—Hillman insisted. The PAC is for the Roosevelt-Truman ticket, he added, but will not lend financial aid to the Democratic national committee.

Asked by Rep. Brown (R-Ohio) if the PAC will contribute to the G. O. P. committee, he said, "of course not."

"You're not convincing me by that kind of talk that your organization is non-partisan," Brown retorted.

Laval wrote a few more letters and talked to the group. Then a Gestapo officer entered the room. "I have come to conduct you to Belfort," he said to Laval.

Warsaw in Flames
The Polish leader estimated the Germans were using more than a dozen Panzer divisions in defense of the embattled Polish capital, which he said had been burning for three weeks.

Russian troops held an even larger bridgehead southwest of Sandomierz, 110 miles below Warsaw, and Soviet units at the end of that salient last were reported fighting within thirty-five miles of Krakow in Southern Poland and within seventy-five miles of German Silesia.

Marsial Konstantin K. Rokossovsky's First White Russian Army beat down a series of powerful German counterattacks east and northeast of Prague, a suburb of Warsaw.

General Malinovsky's troops in Romania captured more than 150 towns and villages in the push into Transylvania and in clearing out sections of the shattered Galati gap.

A midnight bulletin said that both German and Hungarian troops were met in the push through the Oltuz pass to Bretcu. They were hurled into retreat, it said.

Armored Column

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reported making desperate lunges in an effort to break through to Valenciennes, twenty-eight miles north of Montelimar, but chances of escaping were diminishing by the hour.

On the eastern flank of the Riviera beachhead American troops reached the Var river at several points in their drive eastward from Antibes. Doughboys were only seven miles from the resort town of Nice, eleven miles from the principality of Monaco and seventeen miles from the Italian frontier.

The naval base of Toulon was officially "freed" and a parade celebrating its liberation was held through bomb-blasted streets yesterday, but shells still whizzed overhead from Nazi artillery holding out in peninsular forts dominating the entrance to the bay.

Paris Disorders
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missioner for war, and Gen. Jean De Lattre De Tassigny, commander of the French army which made the Riviera landings, somewhere in the south.

Patriots To Be Honored
Plans were made for a solemn funeral for eight young French resistance fighters who were executed by German troops after their capture on the first day of the mass uprising in Paris, Aug. 19.

They were dug from a common grave today in the courtyard of Caserne barracks in the Place De La Republique. Other graves were expected to be found in the same courtyard.

member of the weather wing of the Army Air Corps, is now enrolled in the Officers' Candidate School, Camp Lee, Va.

Pfc. John Jeffrey, Detmold, has arrived in England.

Mrs. Dorothy Thomas, 425 Baltimore avenue, received word that her husband, Pvt. James H. Thomas arrived in Italy.

Sgt. Grant E. Zollner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oswald G. Zollner, 401 Laing avenue, has been awarded the expert infantryman badge at a base somewhere in the Central Pacific area.

Myron E. Rice, seaman second class, Route 2, Flintstone, is stationed at Camp Peary, Williamsburg, Va., where he recently completed his "boot" training after spending a 10-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Ruth E. Rice, and sons, Richard and Carl. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rice.

Sgt. John V. Berkard, 44 Greene street, is a member of a unit that test machine guns, rifles and carbines for combat troops by firing them from a salvaged anti-aircraft mount in a puncture proof building 12 feet long and six feet wide. Sgt. Berkard's unit is attached to an ordnance depot in Southern England.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Myers, Route 2, have been advised that their son, Pfc. Russell D. Myers, has been transferred from England to France where he is attached to the quartermaster corps of the 80th Division.

Condition Is Poor

Injured Sunday when she was struck by an automobile on the Pinzel road, Miss Mazie Layman, 77, of Frostburg, remains in a poor condition last night in Miners hospital, Frostburg. She suffered fractures of both legs and was cut about the face and head. No charges have been entered against Mrs. L. D. Llewellyn, 93 of Dan's mountain, who State Trooper A. M. Spioch said was the driver of the car.

Soldier Who

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afternoon of February 18. Again, Johnston elected to cover the withdrawal.

Wounded above Heart
As the enemy began closing in, Johnston was seriously wounded by a shell fragment that struck him above the heart. Tech. Sgt. Robert O. Alexander, Idabel, Okla., crawled to him, but decided that Johnston couldn't make it back to his company.

"So, I grabbed him under the arms and helped him into a position behind the gun," Alexander related. "He said he was o.k., so I left."

A short time later, his comrades heard his machine gun chattering away again.

Johnston kept firing for about ten minutes and then tried to crawl to his platoon's new line. He ran into three German machine gunners who took him prisoner and placed him in a house previously occupied by Johnston's company.

The following morning Johnston discovered the Germans had departed and made his way to American troops nearby.

Informant Tells

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which he said he was forced to accept the German government's demands to move the French government to Belfort although "I wanted to accomplish to the very end, regardless of the risks, my duties as head of the government."

Laval wrote a few more letters and talked to the group. Then a Gestapo officer entered the room. "I have come to conduct you to Belfort," he said to Laval.

Weather in Nearby States
WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA and WEST VIRGINIA—Clearing today with moderate temperature.

Winners of Fair Awards Announced By Miss Bean

Cash awards based on the point system, for the first twenty high winners in the women's division of the Cumberland fair, are announced by Miss Maude A. Bean, county home demonstration agent. Five points were credited for each first premium; four points to second; and three points to each third place. The points were given for vegetable gardens, food preservation, clothing, needlework and home furnishing divisions.

The winners may use the money to attend the Rural Women's Short Course, Homemakers day, or some other educational trip of 1945, chosen by the Executive Council of Homemakers Clubs. Miss Bean said last evening. Anyone not caring to use it for that purpose must let it go to the next in line.

Cumberland Fair point winners are Mrs. Raymond C. Yutz, 7 West View terrace, city, \$10; Mrs. Charles Wright, Route 5, \$10; Mrs. Harry Bender, Flintstone, \$8; Mrs. William A. Judy, Cresaptown, \$8; Mrs. C. R. Atesman, Somerset, \$8; Mrs. Edward Hoffman, Somerset, Route 3, \$8; Mrs. Clarence Patton, Route 3, Somerset, Pa. \$7; Mrs. J. W. Mallow, Flintstone, \$7; Mrs. Russell O'Neal, Route 3, city, \$6; Mrs. Emma Atesman, Somerset, Pa. \$6; Mrs. Harry Zembower, Route 3, Cumberland, \$5; Mrs. John Weitzell, Lonaconing, \$5; Mrs. Joseph J. Coleman, 308 Fayette street, \$4; Mrs. Bernard Grabenstein, Route 5, Cumberland, \$4; Mrs. Thomas Worring, Route 2, Cumberland, \$3; Miss Florence Thompson, Route 5, Cumberland, \$3; Mrs. Nora Wigfield, Flintstone, \$2; Miss Dorothy Engle, Meyersdale, Pa. \$2; Miss Leona Phillips, Eckhart, \$1; and Mrs. G. G. Ford, 517 Lowell avenue, \$1.

Events in Brief
The Loyal Daughters Bible class of Kingsley Methodist church will hold a hay ride Thursday evening to Minke's Tavern, Baltimore Pike. Members will meet at the corner of Bedford and Decatur streets at 6:45 o'clock.

The meeting of the board of directors and the officers of the Ridgeley Lions Club has been cancelled for the present. The time of the meeting will be announced later.

The Midland Homemakers Club will hold an all day meeting in Constitution park tomorrow, beginning at about 9 o'clock. Mrs. Pearl Blair, president, invites members of the 4-H Clubs, their mothers and friends to attend also.

The Happy Valley Homemakers Club and the 4-H Boys and Girls of Valley road, will hold a community meeting at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Herman Greise, Valley road, at which time the 4-H Boys and Girls will present a special program.

A book review and an exhibit of war souvenirs will feature the meeting of the Potomac Valley Homemakers at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. C. Shumaker, Rawlins.

The Junior Aid Society of Southminster Presbyterian church will hold its meeting in the form of an outing at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening in Constitution park.

The Mt. Tabor Women's Society of Christian Service will meet at 1 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the community center.

An "Evening of Sociability" was held by members of the Mapleside Homemakers Club Saturday evening at the Constitution park. The husbands and families of the members were guests. Mrs. Leo Dair and Mrs. James R. Smith were in charge.

Cards Top Reds in Ninth
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 28 (AP)—Morton Cooper won his one hundredth game of his major league career tonight when a home run by Pinch-Hitter Ken O'Dea in the last of the ninth inning defeated the Cincinnati Reds 3 to 2.

By winning, the Cardinals established a record of scoring ninety victories on the earliest date in National League history. The previous record of Aug. 29 was set in 1906 by the Chicago Cubs.

Officers, Chairmen Of Homemakers Will Meet Friday

All county officers, chairmen and presidents of the Homemakers clubs as well as members of the executive board of County Council of Homemakers Clubs will meet at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon in the home agent's office.

A nominating committee will be appointed, finances will be discussed and the 1944 reports will be given. Miss Maude A. Bean, county home demonstration agent, will discuss and give demonstrations of the September demonstrations, and the project demonstrators will give the October demonstrations.

The November achievement program and the Christmas party programs will also be planned.

Miss Bean asks each county chairman to be ready to offer some ideas for the 1945 programs, so she will have an opportunity to study the suggestions outlined by the state committees on "home management," "home furnishing," "clothing," "nutrition" and "4-H Club work."

Each homemakers' club is also asked to have a representative at the meeting, so each club will receive a report on the meeting.

Shans Whips Creelman
BALTIMORE, Aug. 28 (AP)—Cleo Shans, rugged Los Angeles negro lightweight, won his fourth straight Baltimore victory tonight in pounding Vic Creelman, of New York, all around the ring to take a unanimous ten-round decision. Shans weighed 134½; Creelman, 132½.

In previous Baltimore bouts Shans took the measure of Lew Hanbury, Ellis Phillips and Harry Jeffra, Baltimore's ex-double champion.

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TODAY'S PITCHERS

NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—Probable pitchers for tomorrow's major league games (Won and lost records in parentheses):

American League
Boston at New York (2)—Cecile (2-2) and Dreisewerd (0-0) vs. Donahue (15-9) and Bevens (0-0).

St. Louis at Cleveland (night)—Galehouse (6-6) vs. Killeman (9-9), Chicago at Detroit—Dietrich (14-13) vs. Trout (21-8).

Washington at Philadelphia (2) (twilight-night)—Wynn (8-17) and Niggeling (9-6) vs. Newsum (10-12) and Flores (7-8).

National League
New York at Boston—Voiseie (16-14) or Pyle (6-6) vs. Andrews (13-11).

Philadelphia at Brooklyn—Baffertberger (11-15) vs. Gregg (7-14) or Chapman (1-1).

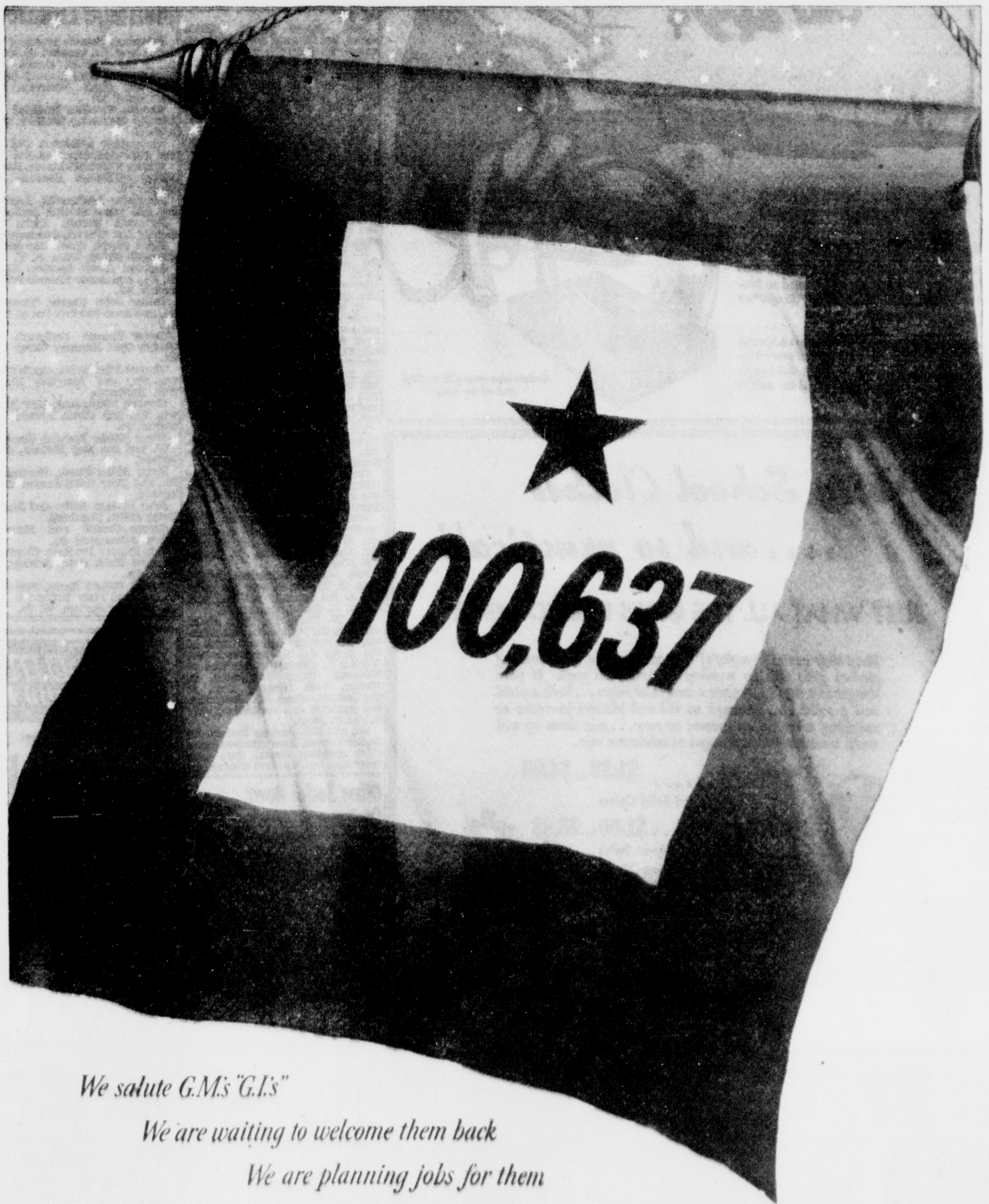
Pittsburgh at Chicago (2)—Butcher (11-7) and Sewell (15-10) vs. Passeau (8-8) and Chipman (11-8) or Fleming (8-9).

Cincinnati at St. Louis (night)—Konstanty (5-3) vs. Wilks (13-1) or Jurisch (7-9).

Dodgers Win 9 to 2
CAMP KILMER, N. J., Aug. 28 (AP)—Playing with two discharged veterans in the starting lineup, the Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the Camp Kilmer baseball team 9 to 2 today before a capacity G. I. audience.

Frank Wurm, a veteran of the African campaign, pitched the first six innings for the Dodgers, giving up two hits and one run. The other ex-serviceman was Tommy Warren, right-handed pitcher who saw action at Casablanca and played left field today.

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McKenzie-Young Wedding To Take Place Sept. 16

Ceremony Will Be Solemnized in SS. Peter and Paul's Church

Miss Margaret Ann Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Young, 112 Cumberland street, has chosen September 16 for the date of her marriage to Ambrose R. McKenzie, son of Mrs. Catherine E. McKenzie, 307 Willis Creek avenue, and the late Walter McKenzie.

The ceremony will be solemnized at a low nuptial mass at 10 o'clock in the morning in SS. Peter and Paul's Catholic church.

A graduate of Ursuline Academy and Ursuline business school, the bride-elect is employed as cashier in the office of the Imperial Ice Cream Company. She is an active member of the Merit Veteran Unit of the Catholic Students Mission Crusade and of Omicron Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority.

Mr. McKenzie attended LaSalle

Institute and is employed by the Celanese Corporation of America.

Mrs. Annie Salyards Entertains Officers Of Our Flag Council

Mrs. Annie Salyards was hostess to members of the Board of Officers of Our Flag of Cumberland Council No. 100, Daughters of America Friday evening at her home, Greene street. Work at the servicemen's lounge was discussed and it was decided to cancel plans for the covered dish supper planned to be held in the park. The routine study period was also conducted. Games were played at the social hour which concluded the meeting and refreshments were served. Seventeen members attended.

Mrs. Annie Salyards and Mrs. Annie McCarty will be co-hostesses for the meeting at 8 o'clock September 29 at the former's home, Payette street.

Kolbs Entertain Bowling League

Members of the Winter Bowling League of the Veterans of Foreign Wars were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kolb with a corn roast and hamburger fry Sunday evening at their home, Flintstone. An impromptu program was presented and group singing around the fire featured the entertainment. Thirty-five members attended.

Scores for the Summer League were announced and include Mrs. Chloe Reynolds, high average for the ladies; Mrs. Alice Miller, high game; and Mrs. Helen Stevens, high set. Raymond Reynolds had high average for the men; James Beachem, high game; and Thomas Whalley, high set, for the men. Mrs. Sadie Smith, Raymond Reynolds, Charles Bujae and George Miller received citation for perfect attendance.

The winter season will open at 7 o'clock September 15 at the Savoy. Captains of the teams are Thomas Whalley, of the Navy; Raymond Reynolds, of the Marines; James Beachem, Signal Corps; George Miller, Army; Luther Kolb, Air Corps; and David Rinker, Cavalry. Each team has six members.

Special Entertainment Will Feature Festival

Special entertainment will feature the East Side Playground Festival which will be held tomorrow and Thursday evenings at the playground. Tentative plans are being made for square dancing Wednesday evening beginning at 9 o'clock and anyone who is able to call the numbers is asked to contact J. Orville Fier, chairman of the festival and president of the association. Thursday evening the Moose Band will give a concert at about 8 o'clock.

The festival will begin at 7 o'clock each evening. There will be four prizes awarded each evening, the first at 8 o'clock and one on each hour thereafter until 11 o'clock. There will also be a grand prize at 11 o'clock both evenings.

Thomas Williams, Harry Adams, Robert Taylor, Mrs. Stanley Goodrich, Hilda Stewart and Mrs. Dan Baker comprise the committee assisting Mr. Fier.

Visitor Is Honored

Mrs. Laura B. Fitzwillson, Richmond, Va., was honor guest of Mrs. Charles Runkles at an informal party Sunday evening at her home, 717 Gephart drive. An informal musical program was presented and refreshments were served.

After visiting her sisters, Mrs. Benjamin L. Moreland, Mrs. John I. Vandegrift and Mrs. Runkles, and her brother George Martin, Mrs. Fitzwillson is visiting her nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blume, Mt. Savage road. She will return to Richmond Saturday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Blume.

Personals

William Eisenberger has returned to Washington and Jefferson college, Washington, Pa., after spending the weekend with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. William A. Eisenberger, Washington street.

A. S. Alexander Sloan, Annapolis, was the weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Sloan, and his grandmother, Mrs. Matthew H. Sloan, Washington street.

Mrs. Willard Everstine remains in a critical condition at the home of her son, Aden Everstine, Ridgeley, W. Va.

Mrs. George Keady, Wincor street, has returned from Baltimore, where she spent the weekend.

Edward P. Twigg is spending a furlough with his wife, Mrs. Mary Twigg, and son, Ridgeway terrace, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Twigg, 211 Fifth street, after returning from France and England. He is with the Merchant Marine.

Miss Bess Vandegrift, 316 Beall street, is spending some time with her niece, Mrs. A. R. Larson, Upper Darby, Pa.

Mrs. James E. McLean has returned to her home, 821 Mt. Royal avenue, after visiting her son, Pvt. Robert McLean, Fort Knox, Ky., and her mother, Mrs. R. L. Livingston, Williamson, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip B. Buzzell, North Wilmington, Mass., spent the weekend in Cumberland visiting their daughter, Mary Louise Buzzell, 311 Washington street, a News reporter. They left yesterday morning for Ithaca, N. Y., where they will visit another daughter, Anne, who is taking graduate work in mathematics and chemistry at Cornell university.

Pvt. Joe Wilkins is spending a furlough at his home, 434 Cumberland street, after serving a year in North Africa.

Capt. William B. Smith, Fort George G. Meade, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Smith, The Dingle.

Miss Katharine D. Smith, University of Maryland, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Smith, The Dingle.

Miss Martha Lundsford, Petersburg, W. Va., visited over the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Smith, The Dingle.

Carl W. Twigg, 211 Fifth street, will leave for Marion, O., this morning. He recently received word of the death of his brother-in-law, William P. Sandower, husband of Elizabeth Twigg Sandower, in Marion. Both formerly lived in Cumberland, where Mr. Sandower was employed as a machinist at the B. and O. shops.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Conner, 804 Bedford street, have returned home after spending several days with their son, Pvt. Lynford Conner, an

Reception Will Be Given For Minister and Wife

First Baptist Church Will Honor the Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Saylor

The Rev. and Mrs. Edwin W. Saylor will be honor guests of the members of the congregation of the First Baptist church at a surprise informal reception Friday evening.

The reception in the form of a "special get-together meeting," will be held at 7:30 o'clock and will mark the tenth anniversary of the Rev. Mr. Saylor's pastorate here.

He came here from Dudley Avenue Baptist church in Pockersburg, W. Va. The Rev. and Mrs. Saylor are at present vacationing in Ocean City, N. J.

A musical program will be presented in the church auditorium and will include duet selections by Mrs. Sara E. Moreland and Mrs. Bess Goodwin; solo numbers by Robert Moreland and organ selections by Mrs. Kathryn Carson, who will also accompany the group singing.

There will also be two short addresses, one with some original poems by Mrs. William H. Gatehouse, and the other by the Rev. W. D. Reese, pastor of Welsh Baptist church, Frostburg. S. M. Goggin, senior deacon of the church, in behalf of the congregation will present gifts to the honor guests.

Following the program refreshments will be served in the social room. Mrs. Goodwin and Mrs. Moreland are co-chairmen of the program, and Mrs. Virgil Rice, president of the Aid Society, chairman of refreshments.

Sgt. Paul E. Dreyer returned to Walker army air field, Kansas, after spending a twenty-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Geneva Dreyer, Braddock road.

Frank J. Byer, S. 2-c., attending Hospital Corps school, Bainbridge, spent the weekend with his wife, Mrs. Emilie Byer, LaVale, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Byer, 196 Main street, Ridgeley, W. Va.

Mary D. McLeary, Y. 2-c., returned to Cumberland today to continue work as a recruiter of WAVES in this section.

Mr. Rutil A. Raymond, 409 Linden street, has returned from New York City, where she visited friends and relatives for several weeks.

Clarence Leasure, 143 Thomas street, is a patient at Memorial hospital, where he underwent a major operation.

Marriage Licenses

Seventeen licenses to marry were issued over the weekend at the office of the clerk of circuit court. Nine permits were granted Saturday and eight yesterday. They were issued to:

Thomas Franklin Stallings and Dorothy Katherine Stafford, Cumberland.

Christopher Middleton and Mammie Middleton, Charleoi, Pa.

William Thomas Robinson, Jerome, Idaho, and Evelyn Romaine Hay, Berlin, Pa.

Alexander McCormick, Lonaconing, and Isabel Shearer, Midland.

Raymond French Ziegles and Shirley Lou Weaver, Cumberland.

Floyd Joseph Speck and Marian Elizabeth Meisel, Utica, N. Y.

Richard Melvin Spencer, Keyser, W. Va., and Annie Thomas Britton, Suffolk, Va.

Walter John Kaczor, Tarentum, Pa., and Joan Chicketa Covey, Irvin, Ky.

Homer Thomas Seelbaugh and Gladys Opal Surrena, Grove City, Pa.

Vincent John Didion, Castle Shannon, Pa., and Margaret Eleanor Rife, Baltimore.

Stephen Ronachak, New Brighton, Pa., and Gloria Ramsey, Rochester, Pa.

Edgar Wilson Lockard, Corriganville, and Iva May Hollada, Cumberland.

Harry Miller Shank, Waynesboro, Pa., and Mary Hazel Swayne, Cumberland.

John Bernard Miller and Eleanor Twigg Miller, Frostburg.

George Carnall and Henrietta Dillow, Greensburg, Pa.

Alva Eugene Feathers, Claysburg, Pa., and Violet Grace Ritchey, Altoona, Pa.

Russell Gilbert Kerns, Paw Paw, W. Va., and Mary Katherine Under, Berkeley Springs, W. Va.

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Dealings on Stock Exchange Are Slackest since Last May 16

NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—Stocks with peace possibilities continued to attract modest demand in today's market while many leaders elsewhere drifted to moderately lower levels.

Trends were indefinite at the start and final prices were well mixed. Dealings were the slackest since May 16 last. Transfers totaled 554,300 shares compared with 559,240 Friday.

Laclede Gas preferred jumped 4 1/2 points to 91 1/2 on odd-lot transactions when a United States district court approved the company's reorganization program. United Dye-wood was up a point at a peak for 1944. Oliver Farm advanced 3 and Philip Morris 1. Improved were Consolidated Value, Zonite Products, Bethlehem, Santa Fe, Deere, Public Service of N. J., Eastman Kodak, American Smelting and Kennecott.

On the losing end were Baltimore & Ohio, North American, Goodrich, United States Rubber, International Harvester, Douglas Aircraft, J. C. Penney, Montgomery Ward, American Can, Allied Chemical, Texas Company, du Pont and Westinghouse. Steels and motors did virtually nothing.

In the Curb Pennsylvania Salt rose 10 points on a 25-share transfer. Small plus marks were retained by American Gas and Cuban Atlantic Sugar. Decliners were Creole Petroleum, Carrier Corporation, Electric Bond & Share and Glen Alden Coal. Turnover here was 204,100 shares versus 253,480 in the preceding session.

It was the slowest session in nearly a year in the bond market and price changes were correspondingly sluggish.

United States governments were all but neglected.

Sales of \$4,554,900 were the smallest since last September 7 and compared with \$5,558,200 last Friday.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—Stock list—

Air Redn	40 1/2	Kroger	35 1/2
Alb Corp	9 1/2	LOP GI	52 1/2
Al G	158	Lig M B	8 1/2
Am Can	91 1/2	Loril	19 1/2
Am C Pd	40 1/2	M Ward	49 1/2
Am B Mill	15 1/2	Nat Bld	23 1/2
Am Smel	36 1/2	Nat Cr	37 1/2
A T T	164	Nat Dy	24 1/2
Am T Co	73 1/2	Nat Gas	19 1/2
Am Wks	18 1/2	NY Cen	18 1/2
Anacosta	26 1/2	Nor Wn	198 1/2
Am Corp	4 1/2	Nor Am Av	61 1/2
B and O	6 1/2	OWS II GI	6 1/2
Bendix	42 1/2	Pack Mfrs	5 1/2
Beth Stl	10 1/2	Para Pic	27 1/2
Bur Air	5 1/2	Pa RR	25 1/2
Budd Mfg	10 1/2	Pea M	55 1/2
C and O	46 1/2	Pullman	48 1/2
Chrys	92 1/2	RAO Stl	15 1/2
Col G E	10 1/2	Rad Crp	10 1/2
Com C	41 1/2	Rem Rand	21 1/2
Com Ed	24 1/2	R T Co	34 1/2
Cut Wtr	6 1/2	Soc Var	15 1/2
Doug Air	54 1/2	Sou Pac	28 1/2
duPont	15 1/2	Sper Crp	27 1/2
Eastman	163 1/2	Sia B	30 1/2
Elau Life	44 1/2	SO Cal	36 1/2
El P Lt	5 1/2	SO Ind	32 1/2
Gen El	38 1/2	Swift Co	30 1/2
Gen Fds	42 1/2	Texas Co	41 1/2
Goodrich	61 1/2	Tidw Oil	35 1/2
Greahd	48 1/2	Un Carbide	79 1/2
Ill Cen	16 1/2	Un Carbide	28 1/2
Int Hv	79 1/2	Un Carbide	59 1/2
Int N Can	26 1/2	West E M	104 1/2
Johns Man	98 1/2	Yng S T	39 1/2
Kenn Cop	32 1/2		

Chicago Grain Prices

CHICAGO, Aug. 28 (AP)—Commodity Credit Corporation purchase of cash wheat and announcement of a half cent a pound increase in the selling price of government owned cotton caused an upturn in grain future markets today.

Rye led the advance, gaining as much as 1 1/2 cents a bushel in a sluggish trade in which there was little outside interest.

Closing futures:

WHEAT—September 1.55 1/2, December 1.54 1/2, May 1.53 1/2, July 1.51 1/2.

RYE—September 1.06 1/2, December 1.05 1/2, May 1.04 1/2, July 1.02 1/2.

BARLEY—September 1.14 1/2, December 1.13 1/2, May 1.08 1/2.

CASH GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 dark hard 1.40; No. 3 hard 1.38 1/2; oats, No. 4 white heavy 72; sample grade white 66 1/2; barley, malling 1.10-1.15; feed 1.10-1.16; non-sample grade 1.08-1.11.

Timothy seed, per 100 lb. \$25-30; non-clover seed, red top 15.50-16.50; non-per 100 lbs.

Pittsburgh Produce

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 28 (AP)—(WPA)—Produce demand moderate.

Apples, about steady. United States No. 1 bushel baskets Pennsylvania Wealthies 1.75-2.00; Summer Rambos 2.50.

Potatoes, 33 cars, about steady. United States No. 1 100 lb. sacks Idaho Russet Burbanks, 4.35-4.40; Long Island Cobblers 3.50-3.65; New Jersey Chippewas and Katahdins 3.25-4.00.

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46 lbs., midwestern, 43-45; nearby, 47-48 1/2; No. 3 to No. 4, 47 lbs. and over, midwestern, 38-39; nearby, 40 1/2-41 1/2; No. 3 to No. 4, 45-46 lbs., midwestern, 36-37; nearby, 38 1/2-39 1/2; medium, 41-42 lbs., midwestern, 37 1/2-38 1/2; nearby, 42 1/2-43 1/2; medium, 40 lbs., midwestern, 35 1/2-36 1/2; nearby, 40-41 1/2; pullets, 35-36 lbs., midwestern, 30-32; nearby, 34 1/2-35; standard, No. 3 to No. 4, 44 lbs., midwestern, 20-22; nearby, midwestern, 14 1/2-15; nearby, 16-16 1/2; Pacific Coast, white large 53 1/2.

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Nelson Fires 69 on Final Round To Win All-American Tournament

Ohioan Picks Up \$13,462.50 in War Bonds To Set New Money-Won Record

By FRITZ HOWELL
CHICAGO, Aug. 28 (AP)—The player with the punch in the punch, and golf's No. 1 guy—that's Byron Nelson, of Toledo, Ohio.

The former Texan spreadeagled a field of 122 professionals and seven amateurs by five strokes today with an eight-under-par 280 for seventy-two holes to snatch the fourth All-American \$42,500 open at Tam O'Shanter, the biggest money tournament ever staged.

It was Nelson's third win in four times at the classic, and he was never in danger after taking charge by two strokes at the end of the second round. Big Ed Duley, president of the P. G. A., fired a 69 to

Helis Has Ideas About Training Thoroughbreds

By ORLO ROBERTSON
JOHNSON, N. J., Aug. 28 (AP)—William Helis, the New Orleans oilman who has done much to hold up the yearling market the last two years, has some very definite ideas about training horses and, if successful, he'll be even more of a headline attraction within the next few years.

"There'll be no pampering of my horses," said the grey-haired Greek-American who has spent close to \$1,000,000 for thoroughbreds since a little over a year ago.

"About all I know about this game is that all horses like hay and oats," he said as he strolled about the recently acquired 1,300-acre Rancocas farm, made famous by the horses of Pierre Lorillard and Harry S. Sinclair. "My horses will get plenty of both, and when not in training, will be permitted to roam the pastures."

"They'll go right from Rancocas to the races. I have the track on which to get them ready and after their workouts, they'll get no long cooling-out walks. They'll do that themselves in the pastures."

Helis, who'll have between 150 and 200 horses on the farm when they arrive from various other breeding farms, also is a strong believer in not racing two-year-olds. At least twenty-five of the thirty-six yearlings he purchased last year never have been to the track.

Pericles, the strapping chestnut for which Helis paid \$66,000 and now says he would not take a half-million, won't make his debut until 1945.

"I'll give you odds that Pericles will be in the 1945 Kentucky derby," said Helis in refuting the rumors that something serious was the matter with the colt. "But even if he never raced a step I've got my money's worth from just having a pet."

Helis definitely is building for the future. In his racing and breeding barns he has some of the country's best blood lines. There are sons and daughters of Blenheim and Hyperion, English derby winners. Attention, a \$55,000 buy sired by the great Equipoise, and Valinda Orphan, for which he paid \$100,000 because the seven-year-old stallion comes from a line of great sprinters.

Mack Denies He's Not Feeling Well

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28 (AP)—More and more often in recent weeks, 81-year-old Connie Mack has been missing from the dugout at Shibe park at game time, and there has been talk that the old gentleman is not feeling well.

Not so, says Mack.

"I'm in doubleheaders. I've been the easy," he said today, "particularly just decided to take it a little skipping one game."

Connie's son and heir-apparent, Earle Mack, has replaced him frequently as the Athletics' field manager for the first game of night and two-night doubleheaders.

Asked whether it wouldn't be better for him to work the first game and skip the second so he could get to bed earlier, Connie said with a smile:

"That doesn't make any difference to me. You know I never get to bed early anyhow. I stay up late. I kinda like it."

His team going strong, and his hopes high for a first division finish next season, Connie commented:

"So long as we win, you don't have to worry about how I'm feeling. It's only when we lose that I don't feel well."

Football Practice Opens at Maryland

COLLEGE PARK, Md., Aug. 28 (AP)—Bad weather failed to dampen the University of Maryland's initial football practice as approximately thirty-five gridirers reported for today's opening drill.

Head Coach Clarence (Doc) Spears ran the players through light running and passing drills this morning and then held a skull practice preceding a longer afternoon drill.

Veteran backs Tom Chisari and Bob Trol and Linemen Larry Cooper, Alex Bobenko, Perc Wolfe and Mike Zetta set the pace in the opening practice.

Big Jack Love, who played freshman football at Maryland two years ago, has been discharged from the army and made a good showing in the backfield.

Spears expects about ten more players to report within a week. He said he would be able to grade the new material in two weeks.

With the opening game only four weeks away, Spears plans accelerated drills, and he got off to a good start today with sessions totaling three and one-half hours, with light rain falling intermittently during the afternoon.

Musial and Walker Continue Close Race

NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—The decimal point came to the aid of Stan Musial today to keep the St. Louis Cardinal outfielder on top of the National League in hitting by .9007 over Brooklyn's Dixie Walker as the one-two men went into the final five weeks of the season still battling for the crown.

Musial gathered eight hits in twenty-four at bats during the past week and was hitting .3542 in averages including Sunday's games. Walker had eight for twenty-three as he stepped back into everyday duty after recovering from his ankle injury but trailed at .3336.

Although the race still was between the 1943 champ and the pride of Flatbush, New York's Joe Medwick sneaked up on the outside to put off eleven points back with .3443.

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'44 World Series Will Be Launched Oct. 4 in St. Louis

Efforts Will Be Made To Confine Crowds to Home-Town Customers

CHICAGO, Aug. 28 (AP)—The 1944 World Series will begin in St. Louis on Wednesday, Oct. 4, and efforts will be made to confine attendance strictly to home town customers.

The plans were laid by Baseball Commissioner K. M. Landis and representatives of the St. Louis Cardinals, near-certain National League pennant winners, and of the four top American League teams—the circuit-leading St. Louis Browns, New York Yankees, Detroit Tigers and Boston Red Sox.

The conferees also issued a statement calling attention to wartime transportation problems and saying: "We request x x x that in connection with the forthcoming World Series games special arrangements for the distribution of tickets will be set up as well as confine attendance to the cities in which the games are to be played."

The Cardinals will play host for the opening regardless of the outcome of the tight junior circuit race. If the Browns win the American League flag, the games will follow this schedule:

The Cardinals will be the home team at Sportsman's park, St. Louis, for the first and second games, Oct. 4 and Oct. 5, and for the sixth and seventh games, Oct. 9 and Oct. 11. The Browns will be the home team at the same park for the third, fourth and fifth games, Oct. 6, Oct. 7 and Oct. 8.

If Detroit meets the Cardinals, the first three games will be in St. Louis, Oct. 4, Oct. 5 and Oct. 6, and the last four in Detroit Oct. 7, Oct. 8, Oct. 9 and Oct. 10.

If either the Yankees or the Red Sox oppose the Redbirds the first three games will be played on the same dates in St. Louis, and the last four will be in the eastern city Oct. 9, Oct. 10, Oct. 11 and Oct. 12. Besides time allowed for travel, an open date is provided for ticket sales between the sixth and seventh games.

Marion, Stephens May Win Honors

By JOE REICHLER
NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—There is a strong possibility that Marty Marion and Vernon Stephens, shortstops de-luxe of the two St. Louis clubs, will be chosen as the most valuable players of their respective leagues.

It is the unanimous opinion that Marion is the best and most colorful shortstop in baseball today, and they are starting to compare him with Honus Wagner. Even Billy Southworth, his manager, called Marion the best shortstop he had ever seen.

Stephens, while not as flashy a fielder as the Cardinal ace, is much more dangerous with a bat in his hands. The Browne infielder leads the American League in runs batted in and is tied for the leadership in home runs.

If both Marion and Stephens are selected this year, it will be the first time that two shortstops were picked as the "most valuable" since the selections were started in 1912.

Only three other shortstops, Rogers Peckinpaugh, of the Washington Senators in 1925, and now vice-president of the Cleveland Indians; Joe Cronin, of the Senators 1930 club, and Arky Vaughan of 35 Pittsburgh Pirates, ever were chosen as the most valuable players to their clubs. Peck received the American League award, while Cronin and Vaughan were recipients of the Sporting News award when the two big leagues decided to abandon it.

Dodgers Recall 13 From Farm Clubs

BROOKLYN, Aug. 28 (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers today announced the recall of thirteen players from their "farm" clubs. The players will remain with their clubs until the end of the season in the various leagues, at which time a few of them will be called in for late-season trials with the Dodgers.

The players recalled were Leroy Jarvis, Clarence "Clancy" Smyers, Eddie Miksis and Charles Osmond from Trenton, N. J., of the Interstate League; Mike Ulsney, Eddie Basinski and Ralph Branca from Montreal, of the International League; Bill Hart, Albert Zachary and Jack Franklin from New Orleans, of the Southern Association; Clyde King and Claude Crocker from Richmond, of the Piedmont League; and Carden Gillenwater from St. Paul, of the American Association.

New Book

SAMPSON, N. Y. (AP)—Owen Cassidy, of Watkins Glen, N. Y., a former Colgate athlete who recently won the national senior championship in the 100-yard hurdles, is a recruit at Sampson.

Red Sox Defeat Yanks To Move Into No. 2 Spot

Left on Bases as Boston Wins 7 to 4

NEW YORK, N. Y., Aug. 28 (AP)—The American League pennant race was drawn tighter today when the Boston Red Sox whipped the New York Yankees 7 to 4 and moved into second place, three and one-half games back of the league-leading Browns. The defeat dropped the Yanks into a tie for the third spot, four games off the pace.

Yank Terry and Red Barrett issued thirteen walks but combined to turn in a six-hit mound job and left fourteen Yanks stranded on the bases.

The Red Sox got to Bill Zuber for four of their runs in the third with Bob Johnson's two-run triple the big blow of the inning. Johnson, who led the Sox's ten-hit attack with three safeties, drove in another in the fifth as Joe Cronin's boys picked up two more. They added the seventh tally off Johnny Johnson in the seventh with Pete Fox's single boxing Jimmy Bucher home.

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Fourteen New Yorkers Baltimore, with 2-1 Game Lead, Has 19 Contests Remaining

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By taking three out of four games from the Newark Bears, and a doubleheader yesterday from the Jersey City Little Giants, the red-hot Orioles headed down the stretch with a two and one-half game edge on the second place Browns.

Baltimore has nineteen games remaining on the schedule, while Newark has only sixteen. Buffalo, five games back of Baltimore, has only fifteen games; Toronto, eight and one-half games back, and Jersey City, twelve and one-half games back, both have sixteen to go.

The top four teams will enter the playoffs, the first and fourth clubs and the second and third teams clashing in the first seven-game series. The two winners meet in another series, the winner taking on the American Association champions in the Little World Series.

If Newark wins twelve of its sixteen games, and Baltimore takes only twelve of the remaining nineteen, the Orioles still would finish first by one game. Baltimore invades Newark for a five-game series beginning Thursday, which should decide the pennant race.

Including games of Sunday, Aug. 27, here's how the top six teams stood:

	W.	L.	G.B.
Baltimore	77	58	
Newark	76	62	2 1/2
Buffalo	74	65	5
Toronto	70	68	8 1/2
Jersey City	66	72	12 1/2
Montreal	64	72	13 1/2

Victory Playoff Games Postponed

Victory Junior Baseball League games scheduled last evening were postponed on account of rain, leaving at least three contests to be played before the Shaugnessy playoff finals can be started.

The Cumberland Legion and Frostburg Legion, slated to collide at Frostburg will meet in the second game of their preliminary series tomorrow evening at 5:45 on the Frostburg State Teachers' college diamond, it was announced last night by Charles Cole, representing the Mountain City outfit, which defeated the local Legion here in the only series game played so far.

The opening clash between the Cumberland Iron Pigeons and Lonaconing Legion, slated for the North End Playground field may be played later in the week if suitable arrangements can be made, according to G. Louis Baker, of the Firemen.

BAINBRIDGE BLANKS A'S IN FINAL GAME

BAINBRIDGE, Md., Aug. 28 (AP)—The Bainbridge naval training center nine closed its season today by shutting out the Philadelphia Athletics 5-0 in a contest cut short by rain in the eighth inning. About 5,000 servicemen saw the game.

Wes Livengood, former Cincinnati Red hurler, on the mound for the Commodores, held the American Leaguers to three hits and retired the Philadelphia nine in order from the first until the eighth inning.

The victory marked Bainbridge's fifty-sixth win of the season against fifteen defeats and was the fifth time in eight tries that the Sailors defeated a major league opponent.

Lynton (Dusty) Bogges, the newest National League umpire, hails from Texas. He rides the pullman today but five years ago he hitchhiked 1,700 miles to his first job behind the plate.

AT THE TRACKS

WHEELING RESULTS

FIRST—Young and Gay, 9.80, 6.00, 3.00; Puffy Star, 23.20, 4.80; Rusty, 2.40; Also ran—Fixed Fee, Burch's Boy, Jolette, Mussy, Parquet.

SECOND—Lady Toddle, 10.00, 6.20, 3.00; Delcham, 29.20, 11.20; Alimony Kid, 6.00; Also ran—Dr. Tate, Long Legs, Camp-meeting, Preston, Skippy McGee.

DAILY DOUBLE—76.00 for 2.00.

THIRD—Ida, Time, 31.20, 5.80, 3.80; Quartered, 2.00, 3.20; Mammy Joe, 2.30; Also ran—Mr. Jim, Monarchs, Pal, Laps.

FOURTH—Sir Whiff, 5.00, 2.80, 2.60; Laugh and Play, 3.60, 3.00; Ship Signal, 1.40; Also ran—Ensigns, Annie Laurie, Gallop-a-Mile, Fantastical.

FIFTH—Chut Hopkins, 3.80, 2.40, 2.40; Projection, 4.40, 2.80; Flying Kites, 2.40; Also ran—Sueale, Flower Battle, Feeding High-Mardi Gras.

SIXTH—Totomate, 25.40, 16.20, 5.00; Worth-owning, 6.40, 3.40; Let-Lin, 7.00, 4.10; Also ran—Cireling, Big Sneeze, Bull Terrier, Browning, Merrie Go.

SEVENTH—Early Bound, 19.00, 8.60, 3.20; Smart, 5.00, 3.40; Ilka, 3.00; Also ran—Two Fidd, J. Hal, Eyepopper.

EIGHTH—Bright Home, 7.00, 4.40, 3.00; Grape Vine, 5.00, 4.00; Milk Toast, 4.00; Also ran—Brainiac, 3.80; Kismet Teddy, Pammunky, Branca, Winsome Lassie.

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MARLBORO RESULTS

FIRST—Hard Loser, 6.90, 3.50, 3.10; Two W. 7.00, 3.00, 21.80; Also ran—C. 2.00.

SECOND—Charmlif, 5.30, 3.10, 2.40; Arch McDonald, 5.00, 3.20; War Pigeon, 4.00.

THIRD—Beastak, 6.20, 3.20, 2.50; Neopole, 3.50, 2.50; Cast Out, 2.70.

FOURTH—W. 21.80, 21.80, 7.60, 5.90; Thespian, 4.20, 3.40; Nostred, 3.50.

FIFTH—Oomph, 11.50, 5.70, 2.90; Gino-mal, 3.00, 2.00; Remonde, 2.40.

SIXTH—David, 20.50, 10.30, 6.90; Fleet-est, 5.20, 4.10; Worries, 5.60.

SEVENTH—Bill's Anne, 4.60, 3.60, 3.00; Mary Nostred, 5.10, 3.80; Calabaz, 4.40.

EIGHTH—Sunbe, 14.20, 6.10, 3.50; Golden Babe, 6.90, 5.10; Strolling Lee, 6.10.

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MARLBORO SCRAICHES

FIRST RACE—Mooreland Belle, Play Spa, City, 21.80, 21.80, 7.60, 5.90.

THIRD—Twinkland, Enos K. Etalip, Service Flag.

FIFTH—Johns Last, Track fast.

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MARLBORO ENTRIES

(By the Associated Press)

FIRST—\$800, claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 6 1/2 furlongs.

118 Predictate 118
Miss Anacanda 113
Miss Anacanda 113
Very Quiet 108
Scotty 113
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SECOND—\$800, claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 6 1/2 furlongs.

xPeggy First 103
xLittle Dear 108
xPeggy First 103
xBlack Demon 113
xGallopang Lady 108
xGay Padre 113
xGay Padre 113

THIRD—\$800, claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 6 1/2 furlongs.

Silver Ruble 118
Fairy Bay 113
Pond Out 118
Bluestring 113
xBrookly Boy 113

FOURTH—\$800, maidens; 2-year-olds; 5 1/2 furlongs.

Rooty Care 114
Ten Oaks 117
Purple Violet 114
Song Flight 114
Mord Lioner 112
Flying Hero 117

FIFTH—\$800, claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 6 1/2 furlongs.

Blicky Boy 113
xGray Cal 104
Pone 110
xGolden Media 108
Prison Ship 118
Electric 113

SIXTH—\$800, claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 6 1/2 furlongs.

xManadroit 111
War Agent 114
xGaybo 111

SEVENTH—\$800, claiming; 3-year-olds and up; 1 1/4 mile.

xSpecialist 119
Don Binko II 118
Westnesia 114
xBagpipe 109

EIGHTH—\$800, claiming; 4-year-olds and up; 1 1/4 mile.

xRio Grande 107
xRave Action 108
xChaffin 110
Flying Duke 119
xApprentice allowance claimed. First post 2:30 p. m. Track fast.

Wright To Meet Wilson

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28 (AP)—Promoter Joe Turner announced today he has signed Chalky Wright, former featherweight champion, and Jackie Wilson, Pittsburgh, for a ten-round fight here Sept. 12.

Laviosier first proved that food supplies energy for the human body, but he was beheaded for his revolutionary ideas.

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Baltimore has nineteen games remaining on the schedule, while Newark has only sixteen. Buffalo, five games back of Baltimore, has only fifteen games; Toronto, eight and one-half games back, and Jersey City, twelve and one-half games back, both have sixteen to go.

The top four teams will enter the playoffs, the first and fourth clubs and the second and third teams clashing in the first seven-game series. The two winners meet in another series, the winner taking on the American Association champions in the Little World Series.

If Newark wins twelve of its sixteen games, and Baltimore takes only twelve of the remaining nineteen, the Orioles still would finish first by one game. Baltimore invades Newark for a five-game series beginning Thursday, which should decide the pennant race.

Including games of Sunday, Aug. 27, here's how the top six teams stood:

	W.	L.	G.B.
Baltimore	77	58	
Newark	76	62	2 1/2
Buffalo	74	65	5
Toronto	70	68	8 1/2
Jersey City	66	72	12 1/2
Montreal	64	72	13 1/2

Victory Playoff Games Postponed

Victory Junior Baseball League games scheduled last evening were postponed on account of rain, leaving at least three contests to be played before the Shaugnessy playoff finals can be started.

The Cumberland Legion and Frostburg Legion, slated to collide at Frostburg will meet in the second game of their preliminary series tomorrow evening at 5:45 on the Frostburg State Teachers' college diamond, it was announced last night by Charles Cole, representing the Mountain City outfit, which defeated the local Legion here in the only series game played so far.

The opening clash between the Cumberland Iron Pigeons and Lonaconing Legion, slated for the North End Playground field may be played later in the week if suitable arrangements can be made, according to G. Louis Baker, of the Firemen.

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xManadroit 111
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xSpecialist 119
Don Binko II 118
Westnesia 114
xBagpipe 109

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xRio Grande 107
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xChaffin 110
Flying Duke 119
xApprentice allowance claimed. First post 2:30 p. m. Track fast.

Wright To Meet Wilson

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Borden Shaft

Funeral Rites To Be Held Wednesday in Midland Methodist Church

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

PROBSTOWN, Aug. 28.—Daniel Chapman, 57, died Sunday at his home in Borden Shaft, being ill for the past week with heart ailment. He was a son of the late George and Jean Chapman and a native of Elk Garden, W. Va. Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Mayme Munroe; four children, Mary Jean, Richard and Harold, at home, and Pfc. Daniel W. Chapman, with the armed forces in France; three brothers, James Chapman, Middleburg, Md.; William Chapman, Middleburg, Md.; and Joseph, Danville, W. Va.; and two sisters, Mrs. Jean Ort, this city; and Mrs. Mary Clise, this city.

Mr. Chapman, a lifelong resident of Borden Shaft, was a mine worker until recent years when he accepted a position as chief steward of the new mine of Probstown, the No. 348 Loyal Order of Moose, East Main street.

The family is affiliated with the Methodist church.

Mr. Chapman's oldest son, Pfc. Daniel W. Chapman, was reported wounded in France August 2. He was inducted into the armed forces October 18, 1941, and served in the Panama Canal Zone before embarking for England December 1943.

Funeral services will be held in the home at 2 p. m. Wednesday with the Rev. Raymond M. Crowe, pastor of Midland Methodist church, officiating. Interment will be in the cemetery.

Class Will Meet

The Victory Sunday school class of Salem Evangelical and Reformed church will hold its annual chicken dinner Wednesday evening in the beachy residence, near New Germany, Garrett county. Twenty-six persons have made reservations.

Sportsmen Will Meet

Earl Manges, circuit court reporter for Allegany and Garrett county, will be the principal speaker at the first fall meeting of the Allegany-Garrett County Sportsmen's Association Tuesday evening, Sept. 5, at 8 o'clock in the dining hall of the Hunter hotel.

Manges will speak on "Some Amusing Episodes in the Court Room." Henry B. Yates, president, will preside. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the program.

Personals

Mrs. John A. Sprague is visiting her mother, Mrs. Helen G. Caldwell, West Main street.

Miss Marion Close, East Main street, and Miss Agnes Joyce, school teachers, who have been vacationing at Ocean City, Md., will return home Wednesday.

Dr. M. Gibson Porter, Roland Park, Baltimore, is a guest at the home of Mrs. J. Marshall Price, West Main street.

Pfc. Warren Cook, Three Hundred Sixteenth dental service unit of the army specialized training program, University of Maryland, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook, Bowery street.

Pfc. Robert Jones, Camp Meade, Md., former teacher at the Midland public school, spent the weekend here with his wife and other relatives.

Pvt. Fred Morton, Camp Meade, Md., was the weekend guest of his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Morton, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Morton, Front avenue.

James Lemmert and daughter, Jean, Clarksburg, W. Va., are the guests of his mother, Mrs. Jean Lemmert, East Main street.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Davis, East Main street, has been confined to bed with illness for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sleeman and Miss Nell Connor, East Main street, are home after vacationing at Rehoboth Beach, Del., for the past two weeks.

Miss Shirley Fields, Eckhart, is a summer guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Davis, East Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hanson and daughter, Ruth, Beall's Lane, are in Augusta, Ky., the guests of Prof. Harold Henson, who is superintendent of schools in the Augusta district.

Mrs. James D. Graham, Philadelphia, the former Miss Virginia Lewis, is in this city, spending a week at Cliffside Camp, South Branch, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lewis, Tarn Terrace.

Aloysius Kirby and son, John Joseph, have returned to Washington, D. C., after attending Mr. Kirby's wife's funeral, Wednesday in Probstown.

Personal Items From Kitzmiller

By MRS. L. C. HUTSON

KITZMILLER, Aug. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Keplinger, daughter Nina, Piedmont, W. Va., visited Mrs. Roscoe Rohrbach, Sunday.

Mrs. Gay Dotson, Pennsboro, W. Va., is visiting the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Hardesty.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler Arnold, Danville, Md., visited Mrs. Ora Weicht, Sunday.

Mrs. Mildred Lear, Arlington, Va., is visiting Mrs. Edith Hutson.

Mr. J. R. Norman, Elk Garden, W. Va., spoke at the Methodist church, Sunday evening.

The Rev. J. H. Hardesty is holding a revival meeting at Vinex, Md. Lindy Snyder, United States Navy, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Billy Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ridder and Mrs. Emma Ridder attended the annual homecoming at Nethken Hill church, Sunday.

Miss Janice Hearne returned to Secretary, Md., after spending a week with Ruth Hutson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jones have returned from Terra Alta, W. Va., where they were in church camp for the summer.

Dr. J. J. Rutledge, Annapolis, Md., and Frank Powers, Frostburg, were visitors Thursday.

Sonny Roderick, Westernport, Md., is visiting his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Sollars.

Lt. Victor Baucom, United States Navy en route from Boston, Mass., to San Francisco, Cal., visited his wife and daughter at their home in Terra Alta, W. Va.

Mrs. Jenny Vodopivec returned from New York where she visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vodopivec and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Williams and family.

Mrs. Joseph Markley and infant son are home from the Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Proggert, son Don, Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting Mrs. Rebecca Proggert.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Shank, son Herman, United States Army, Long, Md.; Misses Wilda Schmidt and Betty Stelding, Altoona, Md., visited Mr. and Mrs. Otha Sharpless, Sunday.

Mrs. Mildred Schwinabart is visiting Mrs. Edward Matthews at Long, Md.

Mary Jo and Bruce Holland have returned home after spending a month at Camp White Thorn, near Oakland.

Eleanor Ann Pritts spent Friday in Romney, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shaffer and daughter and C. D. Shaffer, Oakland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Shaffer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strickler, former residents, but now of Petersburg, W. Va., announce the birth of twin sons, Saturday, August 26 at King's clinic in Petersburg.

Parsons Family Holds Reunion; Over 100 Attend

Judge Robert McV. Drane, Piedmont, Speaks at Affair

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, W. Va., Aug. 28.—Judge Robert McVeigh Drane, Piedmont, was the speaker at the thirty-seventh annual reunion of the Parsons family in Tucker county, held in Holly Meadows on Saturday with over 100 attending from all sections of the county.

The annual election of officers was held with Bascom Parsons named president; Rufus Parsons, vice-president; Marie Hann, Hamilton, secretary-treasurer and Mrs. J. Harold Felton, historian.

A program included the history of the Parsons family for the past two years; a vocal duet, "There's a Star Spangled Banner Waving Somewhere," by the Bishop Sisters; a book review "Leave her to Heaven," by Miss Grace Bright, Parsons; piano solo, "Indian Love Call," by Miss Arlene Hebb, Parsons; vocal solo, "Beautiful Dreamer," by Miss Edith Stemple, Parsons, and piano solo, "Alohae," by Mrs. A. Brooke Withers.

Marriage Is Announced

Announcement was made of the marriage of Miss Mae McGiddian Williams, formerly of Thomas and now of Akron, Ohio, to a former Davis resident.

The single ring service was read in the Methodist church, Akron, O., on July 31, 1944. Following the wedding, a reception was held.

The bride was employed by the Goodyear Rubber Company, Akron, until her marriage and now is employed in the chemical plant at the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, Luke, before entering the service.

He was a member of St. Peter's Catholic church, Westernport.

Honor Roll Unveiled

Appropriate ceremonies were held before a large crowd Sunday afternoon at the unveiling of the plaque at Franklin, Md., of the honor roll of the 102 men and women from that community serving their country in the armed forces.

The dedicatory address was delivered by the Rev. Charles H. Quinn, assistant pastor of St. Peter's Catholic church, Westernport. He said, "Everyone as they pass this plaque should stop and say a prayer for their safe return."

The American flag was raised by Pvt. Freda Arthur WAC and Dorothy Brennan, seaman first class, while the Lonaconing City band played "The Star Spangled Banner."

The plaque was unveiled by Seaman Third Class Ada Howard, Minnesota, and Seaman First Class Ila Rae Abner, Kentucky.

The program was in charge of Victory Post No. 155, American Legion, Westernport. Clyde Kabaugh was chairman. The program included selections by the drum corps of Kelly-Mansfield Post No. 52, American Legion, Piedmont and Lonaconing City band; and remarks by Estel C. Kenny, commander of Victory Post, recently organized. Mr. Kenny stated that this was its first participation in an outside activity.

He said the post has 106 members.

A talk was given by Mrs. Lucile Krantz, Westernport, chairman of the Westernport and Luke chapter of the Red Cross. The chapter includes Franklin. She thanked the women of Franklin for their cooperation.

The invocation was given by the Rev. William B. Orndorff, pastor of the First Baptist church, Westernport, and the benediction by the Young, Norfolk, Va., and Pvt. Herbert Young, in France.

Natal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Taylor, Kempton, announce the birth of a son on August 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Raines, Kempton, announce the birth of a son, August 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ellis, Thomas, announce the birth of a daughter on August 18. The father is in the navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simmons, Kempton, announce the birth of a son, August 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Collett, Hamilton, announce the birth of a son, August 23. The mother is the former Alma Mallow.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Burley, Worthington, announce the birth of a son, August 20. The mother is the former Helen Hay.

Beryl Serviceman Killed in Action On French Front

Charles E. Bowley, 23, Was a Sergeant in Infantry Company

By GEORGE DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Aug. 28.—Word has been received that Sgt. Charles E. Bowley, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dory H. Bowley, Beryl, W. Va., was killed in action in France August 4. Sgt. Bowley served in the infantry.

Besides his parents he is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Grace Lani-gan, Silver Springs, Md., and Margaret and Frances Bowley, Beryl; three brothers, Pfc. Joseph Bowley, France, Seaman Second Class William Bowley and James and Frederick Bowley, Beryl.

Sgt. Bowley enlisted in the army September 2, 1942. He received his basic training at Camp Lee, Va., and further training at Camp Weaver, Ga., and Camp Campbell, Ky. He arrived in England last January.

In his last letter, received in July he informed his mother that he was in great danger and asked her to pray for him.

He was born in Filbert, Pa., November 19, 1923. He had lived in Beryl nineteen years. He attended Piedmont high school and was employed in the chemical plant at the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, Luke, before entering the service.

Ryan Services Held Sunday in Kempton

E. Lewis Receives Wings, Commission

By MRS. BOYD WISE

KEMPTON, W. Va., Aug. 28.—Memorial services for Pvt. James Ryan were held in the community building Sunday, August 27. The Rev. George C. Stratton and Dr. Curry were in charge.

Responses were given by Dale Duncan and W. Cregan, Thomas. Dr. Edward E. Sollars, Deer Park, Md., led the prayer. The eulogy was given by L. H. Mott, Davis, W. Va. The Rev. Mr. Stratton gave a short talk.

Out-of-town relatives and friends who attended the services were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller, Mr. William Miller, Mrs. Margaret Miller, Mrs. Emma Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. William McGreagar, Mrs. William Landfield, Frostburg; Mrs. Albert Middleton, Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and son, Mickey, Sabraton, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ryan, Morgantown, W. Va.; Dr. and Mrs. Edward Sollars and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sollars, Deer Park, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Kovach and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Geroeki, Davis, W. Va.; Mr. Frank Bowers and daughter, Virginia, and Mrs. Leo Freeban, Red Oak, Md.; Mr. Anthony Strimel, Chicago; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibbs, Red Oak, Md.

Personals

Stanley Petel returned to his home here after being in City hospital, Elkins, for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Great-house and family are moving to Akron, Ohio.

Charles Reed and daughter, Betty, have returned to Bedford, Pa., after visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buckley and son, Bobby, have returned to their home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sprague, Keyser, W. Va.

Mrs. W. P. Davis, Baltimore, and Mr. and Mrs. Simon, Westernport, Md., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Harvey here.

Mrs. A. R. Strimel, Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Petel.

James Shillingburg, Morgantown, W. Va., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Simon.

Mrs. Tony Kuski visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Seisek, Henry, W. Va., last Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Tasker was a visitor in Thomas last Sunday.

William Nestor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Darsey William Nestor, Derwood, Md., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Robert Martin, and his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Nestor.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Raines announce the birth of a son last Wednesday.

Miss Norma Lantz, Crellin, Md., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lantz.

Mrs. George Sowers, Sr. Mrs. Boyd Wise and children, Carolyn, Richard and Jeffery, Mrs. Pearl Tasker and Mrs. George Sowers, Jr., were visitors in Oakland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin and sons and Mrs. Sarah Nestor visited at Sunnyside, Md., Thursday.

Rev. William Wilkinson, pastor of the Franklin mission.

Personals

The Young Ladies Bible class will hold a covered dish supper at Trinity Methodist church Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Miss Ann Podolco, Piedmont, returned from a week's vacation at Philadelphia.

Pfc. Lawrence Carpenter, Fort George G. Meade, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Carpenter, Maryland avenue, Westernport, visited his home.

Mrs. Richard Tony and son, James Richard, Martinsburg, visited Mrs. Charles Tony, Hammond street, Westernport, for a week.

Miss Bella Tony has resigned her position at the Bethlehem Steel Company, Baltimore, to accept a position as manager of a tea room at Hollidays Cove, W. Va. She is visiting at her home in Westernport and will leave this week for that city to make preparations for opening the establishment.

G. Harley Dixon, Ashfield street, Piedmont, was operated upon this morning in Memorial hospital, Cumberland.

Postmasters Nominated

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28 (AP).—President Roosevelt sent to the Senate today the following postmaster nominations:

Maryland — Daniel M. Miller, Knoxville; Howard J. Pardoe, Lumbly; Lester Shipley, Savage; B. Adele Palmer, Sharnburg; George R. Bromley, Stockton.

West Virginia — Allen E. Dowdy, Capels; Maggie Ann Brown, Com-fort; Mary L. Michael, Fairview; Pearl C. Harper, Harper; Sam Stinson, Ona; James A. Haught, Reader; Wesley T. Bitzer, Reed; Williams P. Lyons, Sharon; Homer B. Stover, Wyoming.

Sally are guests of her mother, Mrs. Emma Bender, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Broadwater.

Clyde Bender has returned to Silver Springs, Md., after visiting his sister, Mrs. Edna Bender Keller, for the past week.

Mrs. Sherman Beachy and Mrs. Milton Shumaker have returned from Akron, O., where they have been visiting their brothers, William and Lewis Miller.

Miss Grace Beachy has gone to Berlin, Pa., where she is employed with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gnagney, Washington, Pa., visited Mrs. C. C. Beachy recently.

Mrs. George Houck and daughter, Ruth, have returned from Fort Wayne, Ind., where they have been visiting relatives.

Albert Swauger and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller and daughter, Martha, visited Mrs. Viola Swauger Barkley, Johnstown, Pa., recently.

Mrs. Harry A. Miller, Greenwood, Del., is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Livingston, Clarksburg, W. Va., visited Mrs. Livingston's sister, Mrs. Carol Richter, and family here.

George Rites Will Be Held Today

By WILLIAM WILSON

MIDLAND, August 28.—The body of William George, 61, who died Saturday in Baltimore arrived at the home of his son, William L. George, Midland this afternoon. Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with the Rev. Mr. Jewell of the Barton Presbyterian church officiating. Burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery, Lonaconing.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Brasure of Wilmington, Del., spent last week visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Taylor. They have returned to Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Wilson and daughter, Willeda, have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson, formerly of Lonaconing, who now reside at Galtersburg, Md.

Mrs. J. Cowan McDermott and Miss Edna McDermott were weekend visitors of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ort.

Brest was the chief base of operations in World War I for American warships conveying merchantmen and troop ships to France.

Lost—A & C gas coupons, Miss Bessie Griffith, Westernport. Adv. NT Aug. 29-30-31

A SPENCER SUPPORT

is light and cool Spencer Cor-saire, Mrs. K. Kight, 67 Main St., Westernport, Phone 21661. Adv. NT Aug. 29-30

Retired Railroader Dies

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., Aug. 28 (AP).—A sudden heart attack resulted in the death today of Harry C. Weller, 64, retired vice president of the Norfolk and Western railroad who began his career as a telegrapher at the age of 17.

Born at Bainbridge, O., he worked for the Scioto railroad before it was incorporated into the Norfolk and Western system and was credited with fifty-two years' service with the company.

Fish Transferred In Grant County

By MYRTLE PARK

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Aug. 28.—Fifteen hundred small mouth and rock bass and many sunfish were removed from the drought-stricken south prong of Lunice creek in Grant county and transferred to places where there was sufficient water, Game Protector Harrison Shobe reported to the conservation commission yesterday.

Assisting Shobe in the transfer were Evers Turner, president of the Grant County Rod and Gun Club; Deputy Sheriff James Reid; Jr.; Thomas Hall and Glenn Hall. Many fish already had died at the Hall farm, Shobe said.

Briefs and Personals

Twin boys were born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strickler at Dr. C. E. King's clinic here. Mrs. Strickler, before her marriage, was Miss Francis McRobie, Kitzmiller, Md.

Sgt. Robert Shumaker and wife are visiting relatives here, at Maysville and at Bayard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hott and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hott and daughter, Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Andrews and children, Cumberland, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Hott, Arthur, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. R. Holt Hitchens and son, Lawrence, Baltimore, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Welton.

Pfc. Junior Cline, Columbus, Ohio, is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. L. Cline.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Arbogast and son, spent the weekend in Moorefield.

Mrs. Lucy Bliss and children, Washington, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Simmons, Maysville, returned home.

Mrs. Walter Rexroad, Maysville, has returned from the hospital at Harrisonburg, Va.

Lt. and Mrs. William C. Hodgson and son, White Plains, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Schell, Medley.

Mrs. Vera Wright, Lahmansville, and Mrs. Swanson, Orlando, Fla., are visiting relatives and friends in New York.

Mrs. Charlotte Clauze and children, Washington, who had been here visiting, returned yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wimer and sons have returned from Gans, Pa.

One of the ambitions of James I. of England was to excel as an author. His first work was a volume of verse called "Essays of a Prentise in the Divine Art of Poesie."

Accident Cases Treated

Donald McDermott, 13-year-old son of Mrs. Dolly McDermott, Mortonsville, was taken to the Tucker County hospital, Parsons, for injuries to his left foot caused when an ax he was using slipped and cut his foot. Several stitches were required to close the wound. The McDermotts are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odes Fansler at Mackeyville, near Parsons.

Miss Geraldine Severe, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Severe, St. George, is a patient in the Tucker County hospital where she was taken for a fracture of the right arm just above the wrist, caused when she fell from a seasaw at her parents' home.

Jimmy Peets, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peets, Kempton, was treated by a Thomas physician for an injury to his lower lip caused when he slipped and fell while playing with an automobile pump at his home on Friday evening.

Hears from Jap Prisoner

Mrs. Gilbert Summerfield, of near Parsons, has received a card from her brother, Pfc. Roy E. Young, who has been a prisoner of the Japanese government since the fall of Corregidor. This is the first word that any member of the family has received since last November. He has two other brothers in service. They are L. Aman 2-c John

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Shop at Your Acme Market and Save!



GLENWOOD or EVERYMEAL CITRUS

Marmalade

2 lb jar 25¢



OLEO

Princess Brand

2 lb print 16¢

Happy Baker FLOUR

12-lb bag 55¢

Strained Baby Foods

Libby's or Heinz

1 pt per can 6 cans 41¢

Smith's Pea Soup Mix

jar 9¢

Wilson's B. V. Beef Extract

jar 25¢

Morton's Table Salt

Plain or Iodized

26-oz. pkg. 7¢

Fancy Dried Red Kidney Beans

15-oz. carton 10¢

SALAD DRESSING

Bellview Brand

25-oz jar 25¢

Santa Clara PRUNES

lb. 15¢

Ranger Joe Money Wheat Cereal

2 pkgs. 23¢

Gold Medal Bisquick

20-oz. pkg. 18¢

Gold Seal Pure Egg Noodles

12-oz. pkg. 14¢

King Midas Spaghetti Dinners

pkgs. 29¢

Baked Beans in Tom. Sauce

15-oz. can 11¢

Dainty Chicken Noodle Soup Mix

pkgs. 5¢

ASCO Heat-Flo Coffee

lb. bag 24¢

Princess Gloss Starch

lb. box 10¢

Bluetex Bluing

plum bottle 10¢

Speedup Soap Chips

large pkg. 20¢

Liquid Sunshine Bleach

gal. jug 29¢

Speedup Floor Wax

1 gal. jug 79¢

FRESH VITAMIN-FILLED PRODUCE

New Crop Summer Rambo



APPLES

3 lbs 23¢



BARTLETT PEARS

Fine Eating 2 lbs 25¢

LEMONS

Calif. 25¢ doz

SQUASH

White 5¢ doz

CELERY

Solid 9¢ bch

ONIONS

Yellow 3 lbs 16¢

PEPPERS

Crisp 2 lbs 15¢

GREEN ONIONS

Green 3 lbs 10¢

BIG SALE POINT-FREE

C Grade BEEF

Utility

Point Free

Grade "A" VEAL

Rump Roast 32¢

Loin Chops 42¢

Rib Chops 37¢

Lean Loins of PORK

Rib End 29¢

Sauerkraut

Point Free 10¢

FRESH GROUND BEEF

lb. 28¢

Loin End 33¢

Whole Loins 33¢

Lean Bacon

End Slice 2 lbs 25¢

ASCO Sliced Bacon

Free 19¢

Skinless Wieners

Free 35¢

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

PALACE

MATINEE and NIGHT

"WHITE CLIFFS OF DOVER"

With IRENE DUNNE, ALAN MARSHAL, RODDY McDOWALL

LAST TIMES

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TONIGHT

"GIRL IN THE CASE"

With Edmund Lowe, Janis Carter, Robert Williams, Richard Hale

BUSTER CRABBE

(King of the Wild West) in "THE DRIFTER"

With AL "FUZZY" ST. JOHN

Special Tuesday Only

Lamb Chops

lb. 38¢

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Phone 50 Frostburg

GOP Governors Will Be Heard Tonight on Radio

First of Series in Prelude to Dewey Opener Is Scheduled

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD

NEW YORK, Aug. 28 (AP)—As the first of a series of three network talk periods by nine Republican governors in a prelude to Gov. Thomas E. Dewey's opening broadcast speech of the campaign on September 7, The Blue network at 10:15 tonight is to carry a fifteen-minute program in which Gov. Earl Warren of California, Gov. Dwight F. Green of Illinois, and Gov. Raymond E. Baldwin of Connecticut, are to be heard. The other six governors will go on at later times. The program is sponsored by the Republican National Committee.

Continuing the three broadcast series in tribute to France, now well on the way toward liberation, CBS is to present the second concert tribute on Tuesday night at 10. The programs are being conducted by Bernard Herrmann in co-operation with the Columbia Symphony orchestra. Included is the music of some of France's greatest composers, among which are Debussy's "Dance and Sarabande" and Rousset's "The Spider's Feast" as those listed for this broadcast.

Labor Discussion
"Labor in Politics" is to come up for discussion when the American

Forum meets before the microphone of MBS at 9:30. Various aspects of the question will be treated by Rep. Joe Starnes, of Alabama; Rep. W. G. Wagnon, of Washington; Robert J. Watt, of the A. P. of L.; and James B. Carey, of the C. I. O. A special program in which navy officials and officers are to be heard from Washington is announced by CBS at 10:30 in celebration of the thirty-first anniversary of naval aviation. High spots in the development of the air arm will be dramatized.

Leon Feuchtwanger's book "Simone" the story of an heroic French girl, will be the drama for Words at War on NBC at 9:30. The MBS Sinfonietta, Alfred Wallenstein directing at 8:30, will include the "Celtic Suite."

Some Early Offerings
NBC—9 a. m. Mirth and Madness; 12:30 p. m. United States Coast Guard on Parade; 3:45 p. m. Right to Happiness.

CBS—10:15 a. m. Light of the

World; 3 p. m. Mary Martin; 4 which he recently gave the city for Service Command parade; 5:45 a public park.

BLUE—11:45 a. m. Cliff Edwards as Ukulele Ike; 2:30 p. m. Ladies Be Seated; 4:15 Don Norman's show.

MBS—11 a. m. Arthur Gaeth comments; 2:30 p. m. Johnny Nebett Open House; 5 Nashville Varieties.

Honor Maj. Janney

BALTIMORE, Aug. 28 (AP)—The late air corps Maj. Robert S. Janney, who was killed in action in Italy last January, was awarded posthumously the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf clusters today.

The decorations were given to the flier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pollock Janney, Baltimore, by Maj. Philip Hayes, commanding general of the Third Service Command.

Major Janney was with a bomber force and later an air support command in North Africa.

Hart Donates \$50,000

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 28 (AP)—William S. Hart, two-gun star of silent western movies, has donated \$50,000 to the city park commission. It's for postwar improvements on his old West Hollywood home estate.

Today's Pattern



9087
SIZES
12-20
30-42

Here's a new fall jumper outfit, pattern 9087. It's an easy-to-make side-button style. Make blouse with long sleeves or with short.

Pattern 9087 comes in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42. Size 16, jumper, two and three-quarter yards, thirty-nine inches; blouse, one and one-half yards, thirty-five inches.

This pattern, together with a needlework pattern of useful and decorative motifs for linens and garments, twenty cents.

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Today's Needlecraft



833

by Laura Wheeler

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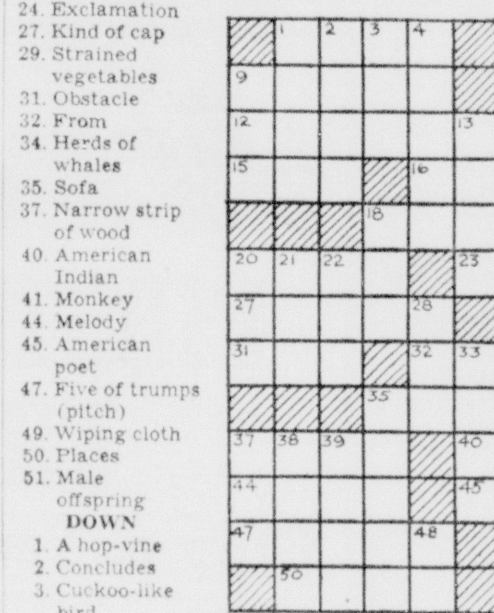
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- ACROSS
- Perforated ball
 - Kind of crane
 - Hawk cages
 - Auricle of the ear
 - Belonging to the axis
 - Salad herb
 - A fresh
 - Foot-like part
 - Fish
 - Yield
 - Begin
 - Fencing sword
 - Music note
 - Exclamation
 - Kind of cap
 - Strained vegetables
 - Obstacle
 - From
 - Herds of whales
 - Sofa
 - Narrow strip of wood
 - American Indian
 - Monkey
 - Melody
 - American poet
 - Five of trumps (pitch)
 - Wiping cloth
 - Places
 - Male offspring
 - Male offspring
 - Down
 - A hop-vine
 - Concludes
 - Cuckoo-like bird



CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

MSDJD YJGIQ AG SDJV GT SDBW MG

SDNB N EGINJH SDNJM—QIFAVLJAD.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: WHEN NOTHING IS ENJOYED,

CAN THERE BE GREATER WASTE?—THOMSON.

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GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



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"Stuff this cotton in your ears, men!—It'll keep out the noise from our artillery—an' we won't be able to hear our mothers calling us home."

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AP Features

NOAH NUMSKULL

MY VOLTAGE IS TOO LOW TO BE A SHOCK ABSORBER WHOOPS

8-29

DEAR NOAH—ARE SOME FOLKS CALLED LIVE WIRES BECAUSE THEIR ACTIONS ARE SHOCKING?

WALT MAQUOKETA, IOWA

DEAR NOAH—IS AN ILL WIND A GALE THAT IS TOO SICK TO STIR?

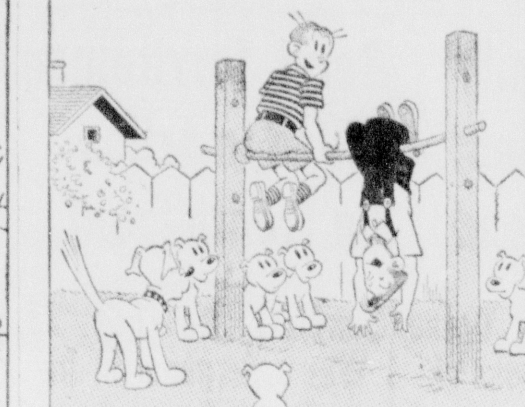
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Pupil Turns Teacher.



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The Man Behind The Wheel.



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JOE PALOOKA

Goodbye Mr. Quill



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Swallowed



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"Something for the Girls" TONIGHT Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians WTBO ★ 9:45

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WANT AD HEADQUARTERS
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Funeral Directors

**A memory of
reverent
beauty**

PHONE 4-54
1000-1000-1000
FUNERAL HOME

**The helpfulness of our
PERSONAL
ATTENDANCE**

is measured only by
our opportunities to
serve.

PHONE 27-LEWIS
STEIN INC.
FUNERAL HOME
117 FREDERICK ST. CUMBERLAND

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Mary Reager, who
died three years ago today, August 29,
1941.

Today, August 29, brings sad memories
of a loved one who is dead.
Who will always be remembered
by the ones who loved her best.

You are gone but not forgotten.
Never shall our memories fade.
We will roam and wander flowers
around the grave that God has made.

When the evening shadows are falling,
And we are sitting all alone,
In our hearts there comes a longing
For the dear Mother who has gone.

From this world she has gone forever
Her sweet face will live on earth no more
But some day we hope to meet her where
There will be no more sad parting
On that Golden Shore.

Sadly missed by
HER CHILDREN,
8-29-11-NT

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors
for the kindness shown us in our
recent bereavement, the death of our
beloved husband and father, Frank Irwin
Diehl. The floral tributes and cards loaned
for the funeral were greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Carrie May Diehl and Family
8-29-11-NT

2—Automotive

PLYMOUTH sedan. Apply 218
Columbia St. 8-28-11-T

1931 FORD pick-up truck, good
tires, \$130. Wright's Grocery
Store, Wiley Ford, W. Va. 8-28-21-T

**TAYLOR
MOTOR CO.**

**WILL
PAY
YOU
CASH
FOR YOUR USED CAR**

**Top OPA Ceiling
Prices Paid**

Sell Your Used Car Now
And Help Us Keep War
Workers In Transporta-
tion To And From Work.

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At Once**

Top

Ceiling Price Paid
For All Makes And
Models.

Help Us Keep
Cumberland Workers
On The Job

NO DELAY

Immediate Cash

ELCAR SALES

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Opp. Post Office Phone 344

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217 N. Mechanic Phone 395

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HAROLD'S will loan you more than
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article of value.

Quick, confidential loans made on
watches, rings, diamonds, guns, lug-
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It will pay you to visit HAROLD'S
before you place your valuable prop-
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Large stock of unredeemed merchan-
dise for sale at 1/2 original cost.

"HAROLD'S"
Jewelry & Pawnbrokers
Corner N. Mechanic & Baltimore
Sts.
In Cumberland

DON'T FAIL

To Contact The Leader
Before You Sell Your Used
Car.

We Pay Top Dollar For
All Makes and Models.

EILER CHEVROLET Inc.
219 N. Mechanic St. Phone 143

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1936 FORD 2-door sedan, \$325. Cor-
riganville, Md. 8-29-11-T

1937 WILLYS, good tires, 5 miles
out Fort Ashby Road on the Pat-
terson Creek Road. Charles E.
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Thompson Buick

Service On All Makes
At Pre-War Prices
Phone 1476

Sporel's Garage

28 N. George St. Phone 307

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37-38-39-40-41-42 Models

Taylor Motor Co.
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We will pay you FULL CASH
PRICE that is allowed on your auto-
mobile. NO ONE CAN PAY YOU
MORE. So why waste time and
gas. Bring your car or call us and
get CASH on the spot. All details
attended to for you.

**Allen Schlossberg's
Used Car Lot**
838 North Mechanic St.
Phone 4166-J

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BUT NOT ABUSED CARS**

Gulick's Auto Exchange
325 S. Centre St. Phone 4510

**Used Cars
Bought and Sold**

STORAGE & SERVICE

THE M-G-K MOTOR CO
221 Glenn St. Phone 2300

4—Repairs, Service Stations

TIRE RECAPPED

And Repaired. New and Used
Tires. Goodrich Silvertown
Stores, 112 S. Centre. Phone 611.
10-10-11-T

BUD & ED'S AUTO SERVICE
317 Henderson Ave. Phone 3744
4-12-11-T

DAYTON Sunoco Service. Wash-
ing, greasing, 55 Henderson Ave.
8-5-11-N

13—Coal For Sale

J. RILEY best big vein coal. Phone
4167. 8-5-11-T

WAKEMAN COAL, big vein and
stoker. Phone 4024-P-14. 7-9-11-N

JOE JOHN'S coal. Phone 1634.
3-3-11-T

BIG VEIN ROBINETTE COAL CO.
AND STOKER **PHONE 3205**
18 South Liberty St.

GOOD LUMPY coal. Phone 2105.
6-2-11-N

SOMERSET COAL. Campbell.
Phone 2666-J. 7-17-31-Mo-N

BIG VEIN WETZEL COAL CO.
AND STOKER **PHONE 818**
WOOD, COAL, delivered. Phone
1901-R. 8-13-31-T

DOUBLE WASHED, screened stoker
coal. Best big vein. Greenpoint
Coal Yard. Phone 3698-R or 4167.
8-17-31-T

15—Electric Work, Fixtures

Factory Service

- Bendix
- Kelvinator
- General Electric

Cumberland Electric Co.
137 Virginia Ave., Phone 619

ELECTRICAL WORK
MOTOR repairing, wiring and fix-
tures. Queen City Electric Co.,
158 Frederick St. Phone 117.
6-6-11-N

16—Money To Loan

**DO YOU NEED
MONEY?**

HAROLD'S will loan you more than
you can secure elsewhere on any
article of value.

Quick, confidential loans made on
watches, rings, diamonds, guns, lug-
gage, cameras and radios.

It will pay you to visit HAROLD'S
before you place your valuable prop-
erty as security for a loan.

Large stock of unredeemed merchan-
dise for sale at 1/2 original cost.

"HAROLD'S"
Jewelry & Pawnbrokers
Corner N. Mechanic & Baltimore
Sts.
In Cumberland

MONEY TO LOAN
Interest 5% per Year
McKAIG'S
101 Williams St. Phone 262

THE VERY FACT that so many
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month conclusive proof of their
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MORTON LOAN CO.

JEWELERS
PAWN BROKERS

Quick Confidential Loans on All
Articles of Value

HEADQUARTERS FOR DIAMONDS
Large Stock of Unredeemed
Pledges for Sale including
WATCHES • JEWELRY
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HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR OLD GOLD
Open Week-days to 6 P. M.
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33 Baltimore St. Phone 3770

**MONEY! ON ARTICLES
OF VALUE**

Unredeemed Merchandise Bargains

Cumberland Loan Co.
43 N. Mechanic St. Phone 607-M

17—For Rent

ELECTRIC sewing machines by the
month. Phone 394, Singer Sewing
Machine Co. 7-27-11-T

19—Furnished Apartments

MODERN TWO, three and four
rooms, apartments, also single
rooms by the week or month.
Boulevard Apartments, Phone
2737. 8-9-11-T

TWO ROOMS, adults, 312 Washing-
ton St. 8-22-11-W-N

NICELY furnished apartment, 114
Greene St. 8-26-31-T

THREE-ROOM, 504 Park. Apply
after 3:30. 8-28-31-T

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment,
private bath and entrance. Call
421-R after 4:30. 8-29-31-N

20—Unfurnished Apartments

THREE ROOMS, private, newly
decorated, bath, Cresapton, 4027-
F-11. 8-1-31-N

TWO ROOMS heated, 466 Goethe
Street. 8-26-31-N

FOUR ROOMS bath, garage, over-
looking Green Grocery Store,
McMullen Boulevard, \$25. Phone
2921. 8-26-11-T

FOUR-ROOM and three-room.
Bath, heat, hot water. Adults, 11
Frederick St. 8-27-31-T

THREE ROOMS and bath, adults.
335 208 Piedmont Ave. 8-29-31-N

22—Furnished Rooms

ONE or two rooms. Phone 1574-W.
8-25-31-T

23—Unfurnished Rooms

TWO ROOMS, heated, adults.
1267-M. 8-23-11-W-T

THREE unfurnished rooms, \$10 per
month. Apply 426 Seymour St.
8-28-31-T

TWO ROOMS, heated. Adults only.
Phone 673-M. 8-29-21-N

24—Houses For Rent

MODERN 6-room brick house, good
location. Adults. Possession Sept.
1st. Write 238-B. % Times-News.
8-27-21-T

26—For Sale Miscellaneous

DRESSED RABBITS, delivered.
Phone 2963-W. 6-1-11-N

Maytag Parts & Service
Wringers, Rollers, All Makes
CUMBERLAND MAYTAG CO.
31 N. Mechanic St. Phone 848

DO YOU KNOW that we handle
everything in the nation line?
Singer Sewing Machine Co.
6-26-11-T

School needs for boys. Boys school swea-
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43—Personals

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47—Real Estate for Sale

Capt. Price Leads Discussion of Jobs For Ex-Servicemen Tells Draft Officials of Great Responsibility in Helping Veterans

Since each discharged veteran must report to his local draft board after his return to civilian life, draft board officials have the responsibility of directing him to the proper agencies of employment and rehabilitation, Capt. W. H. Price, USMC, Baltimore, said last night.

Capt. Price, in charge of the veterans personnel section of the State Selective Service system, spoke at a meeting in the Central YMCA at 8:30 p. m., addressing eighteen members of the four local draft boards, including five re-employment committeemen attached to those boards. He represented Col. Henry C. Stanwood, state director of Selective Service.

Roy W. Eves, re-employment committeeman for Local Board No. 3, introduced Capt. Price, who led an informal discussion of the problem of finding employment for veterans returning to this area. It was decided to hold similar monthly meetings in order to perfect the system of directing veterans to the proper agencies to care for their individual needs.

Capt. Price said that each veteran, upon being discharged from the service, receives a booklet containing a digest of the G. I. Bill of Rights and the provisions of the Selective Service law pertaining to his privileges of employment and veterans compensation. Capt. Price was asked to supply each local board with copies of the booklet, to prepare the members to deal with individual cases of veterans coming to them for advice.

Eves announced that Capt. Price will lead a similar discussion at a luncheon meeting in the Central YMCA at 12:15 p. m. today. He will address a group of employers' representatives, and anyone caring to attend the meeting is invited to do so.

Members of Local Board No. 1 present at last night's meeting included: Arthur J. Yelverton, Harold Powell, Wilbur Wilson, DeLancey Chene, chief clerk, and Nelson W. Russell and George W. Sellers, re-employment committeemen. Representatives of Local Board No. 2 were: Michael O. Blake and P. E. Fahy, chief clerk.

Those attending from Local Board No. 3 were: William J. Morgan, Robert Stallings, Alvin E. Yaste, chief clerk, and Roy W. Eves and Henry Price, re-employment committeemen. Members of Local Board No. 4 were: Michael Burns, chairman; Edward Ryan, appeal agent; Earl Hill, chief clerk; John Stewart, and W. J. Elvin, re-employment committeemen.

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Private funeral services will be conducted in the Short Run cemetery on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, in charge of the Rev. Hardesty, of the Kitzmiller Methodist church.

Briner Brothers Meet In Hawaii and Saipan

Local brothers, a sailor and a soldier, met by chance in Hawaii and again as they were participating in the invasion of Saipan.

Gunner's Mate Second Class John J. Briner, who wears five campaign stars and has seen action at Bonin island, New Guinea, Saipan and the Mariana and Caroline islands, recognized the familiar figure of his brother, Pvt. Leo Briner, infantryman, as the soldier walked down a street in Hawaii.

The brothers had a second reunion aboard Sailer John Briner's ship, the USS Bataan, which was taking Pvt. Leo Briner to Saipan.

Leo enlisted in the army in September, 1943. He took his basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla., before he was sent overseas. John has been in the navy since December 23, 1942. The brothers are sons of Mrs. Frances Briner, 723 Shawnee avenue.

Man Is Fined \$20 After Sunday Fight

Accused of fighting Sunday night in the William Paca lodge social rooms, W. E. Williams, 223 Baltimore avenue, was fined \$20 in police court yesterday morning by Magistrate Frank A. Perdew. He was charged with disorderly conduct, Richard Fox, fireman first class in the navy, forfeited \$10 bond on a similar charge. They were arrested by Officers John W. Snyder and Thomas J. See.

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Gasoline Shortage Is Improving

Although there is still a gasoline shortage in the Cumberland area, it is not as acute as it was ten days ago, a number of local dealers reported yesterday.

Shipments of gasoline arrived here recently from Hagerstown, where the supply is also low, but where a greater reserve was on hand than in Cumberland, which had exhausted part of its stock.

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The polls at the Devon club in Luke will be open until 6 p. m.

District 50, United Mine Workers, finished third in a previous election, at which no union received a majority, and was dropped from the ballot.

Wastepaper Drive Starts Here Today Collection Begins on West Side; Lasts Four Days

Another four-day wastepaper collection drive starts here today and W. Donald Smith, chairman of the salvage committee, last night urged that all residents have their bundled papers and magazines on the curb prior to 9 a. m. on the day the collection includes their neighborhood.

Today's collection includes all of West Side, the Dingle and Bowling Green or all streets west of Willis creek and the Potomac river.

On Wednesday, wastepaper will be collected on all streets north of Baltimore street and Baltimore avenue and east of Willis creek, including Frederick and Bedford street sections.

Thursday's collection includes all streets south of Baltimore street and Baltimore avenue down to and including Oldtown road, Johnson Heights section and Mapleside north of Oldtown road. LaVale is included on this day.

On Friday, the final day, wastepaper will be collected in all sections south of Oldtown road, including Mapleside south of Oldtown road.

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Rabbi Sobel Will Take over Pulpit At B'er Chayim

Youthful Spiritual Leader Will Succeed Rabbi Aaron Lefkowitz

Rabbi Samuel Sobel, of Philadelphia, is the new spiritual leader of B'er Chayim congregation, and will assume his new duties here on September 1, it was announced last evening following a congregation meeting.

Rabbi Sobel succeeds Rabbi Aaron H. Lefkowitz, who recently left the local congregation to accept a call to Temple Beth Miriam, Long Branch, N. J. after having filled the pulpit of B'er Chayim congregation for the past nine years.

In electing Rabbi Sobel as its new leader, B'er Chayim congregation chose the youngest spiritual leader in the history of the local temple. He is 26-years old and was born in Greenville, N. C. He has spent a greater part of his life in Philadelphia, however, as his family moved there when he was quite young.

Rabbi Sobel received his master of arts degree at Columbia university, New York city, and is a graduate of Gratz college, Philadelphia, and the Jewish Theological Seminary, New York City.

Leaders of the local congregation pointed out that the field of prospects for the ministry is limited due to the fact that many of the older spiritual leaders are now serving as chaplains with the nation's armed forces. Rabbi Sobel recently graduated from the New York seminary.

The resignation of Rabbi Lefkowitz became effective July 31.

Butter Will Cost 16 Red Points a Pound in September

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—(P)—Creamery butter will continue to cost sixteen red points a pound in September, the Office of Price Administration announced today.

September point value charts, which went to the printer Aug. 22, show butter costing twenty red points. Retailers now will be notified that the present point value is to be continued, and that a slip of paper bearing the figure "16" should be pasted over the "20" for creamery butter.

OPA said it was decided to retain the sixteen-point value because it was indicated by later reports that consumption would not exceed the September allocation of 95,000,000 pounds.

Three Drivers Fined; One Is Acquitted

John Hesse, Mayville, W. Va., was fined \$5 and costs in trial magistrates court yesterday by Magistrate Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., on a charge of failing to keep on the right side of the road. Hesse was arrested Sunday on Route 49 two miles west of Cumberland by Trooper Graydon S. Dunlap.

Richard W. Flitcher, Oldtown, was fined \$11.45, including costs, by Magistrate Frank A. Perdew yesterday on a charge of reckless driving. Flitcher was arrested yesterday near Flintstone by Trooper Ira G. Unger.

William Woodrow Carlile, 410 South Cedar street, was fined \$5 and costs by Magistrate Perdew on a charge of operating a car on an instruction card without being accompanied by a licensed operator. Carlile was arrested Saturday on Route 51 by Trooper Dunlap.

Charles Ambrose, 3500 East Van Buren street, Phoenix, Ariz., arrested yesterday near Flintstone by Trooper Unger on a reckless driving charge, was found not guilty by Magistrate Perdew in trial magistrates court yesterday.

Seven Traffic Deaths Recorded in County

No traffic fatalities were reported in Allegany county in July but one death this month has increased the year's total to seven or one less than the total number recorded for the entire year of 1943.

Two persons were killed in January, two in April and two in June. Six persons were injured in nine accidents in Allegany county in July, according to the report of the Maryland Traffic Safety Commission.

Mother Files Petition For Habeas Corpus Writ

Seeking a writ of habeas corpus, Mrs. Edith Loar filed a petition in circuit court yesterday charging that her daughter, Jean A. Loar, is unlawfully detained at the home of Mrs. Lulu Henry, Vale Summit.

The petition against Mrs. Henry, the child's paternal grandmother, was made returnable at 9:15 a. m. Wednesday before Chief Judge Walter C. Capper. Mrs. Loar is represented by Charles G. Watson.

Dog Training Season To Open September 10

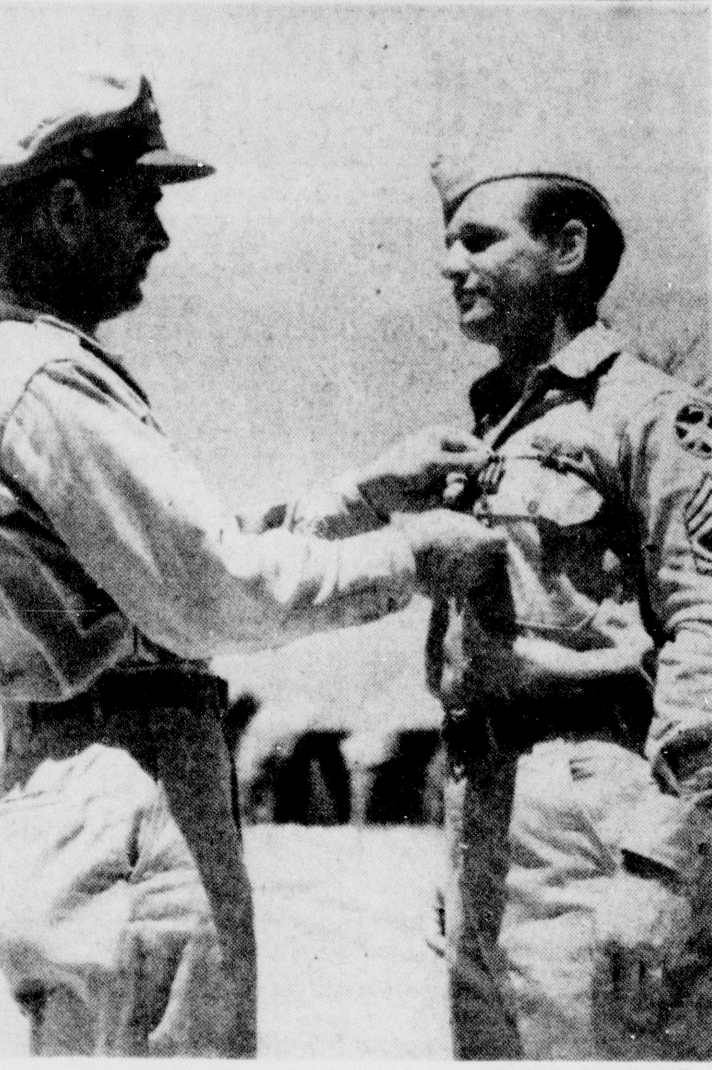
Owners may train their dogs from August 28, 1944, through February 28, 1945, Joseph A. Minke, regional game warden, said yesterday in answer to numerous queries he has received. The early squirrel hunting season will be September 15 through October 15.

Divorces Granted

An absolute divorce from William Miller has been granted Mrs. Dorothy Miller in a decree signed in circuit court by Associate Judge William A. Huster. Mrs. Miller is given permission to resume use of her maiden name and Miller is ordered to pay the costs of the proceedings.

Edward J. Ryan, represented the complainant.

Absolute divorce from Arnold J. Brewer has been granted Mrs. Mary O. Brewer in a decree signed by Judge Huster. She was represented by Clarence Shuter.



RECEIVES D. F. C.—The Distinguished Flying Cross was recently awarded a Cumberland soldier for aerial bombardment operations against the Japs in the Central Pacific. The above picture shows Tech. Sgt. Addison L. Marple, (right), son of Mrs. Eleanor Marple, 916½ Bedford street, a crew member of a Seventh American Air Force Liberator, receiving the award from Col. R. L. Waldron, (left), commanding officer of a Seventh American Air Force heavy bombardment group.

—Photo by Seventh AAF

23,000 Workers Needed in State

BALTIMORE, Aug. 28.—(P)—The War Manpower Commission disclosed today that at least 23,000 workers were needed in Maryland's essential industries, just about the number WMC officials had predicted would be required.

State Director Lawrence B. Fenneman said that officials had forecast that 22,500 would be needed by Sept. 1 considering the expanding needs for workers, new sources of labor and expected losses, mainly of workers who were returning to their homes.

The 23,000 WMC officials explained, represented the over-all shortage of workers in essential industries, including some 6,000 critically needed for plants with top priorities.

As of July 1, Fenneman said, there was a shortage of 14,000 workers from the 138 firms which make regular reports to the commission. While shortages were spread throughout many types of industry, he continued, the two major industries in need of workers were shipbuilding and iron and steel.

Hagerstown and Cumberland had no real over-all manpower shortage, the state director claimed, although Cumberland did have considerable difficulty securing certain specialized types of men workers.

Elkton was described by Fenneman as an area which always had a shortage because of its large fireworks industries.

On the Eastern shore, the temporary manpower problem was the temporary one of meeting cannery season needs, he said.

Seven Births Are Reported in Hospitals

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Powers, 310 Vine place, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday afternoon in Allegheny hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Liller, North Main street, Sunday morning at their home. Mrs. Liller is the former Miss Helen Sides, of Hyndman, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bean, Ridgeley, W. Va., announce the birth of a son yesterday morning in Allegheny hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Simmons, Bowling Green, yesterday morning in Allegheny hospital. The father is serving in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Borden Dolly, LaVale, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning in Allegheny hospital. The father is in the army.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rice, Route 2, Williams road, yesterday morning in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ellis, 419 Central avenue, announce the birth of a son yesterday morning in Memorial hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sneathen Boyd, Points W. Va., last night in Memorial hospital.

LT. AMTOWER HELPS BOMB YAP ISLAND

HEADQUARTERS, THIRTEENTH AAF, SOUTHWEST PACIFIC—Yap island was left a smoldering mass of wrecked installations when bombers of the Thirteenth AAF's big Liberators carried out one of their most successful missions of the war over that Caroline islands base recently.

A Cumberland bombardier—Second Lt. Norman E. Amtower, 203 Arch street—took part in the strike made by B-24s of the Thirteenth AAF's "Long Rangers" group. With pinpoint accuracy, he helped crater Yap's airframe into uselessness, destroyed and damaged shops and warehouse buildings, and demolished a fuel storage dump.

Pilots reported that one of several fires set in Yap's vital areas was visible seventy-five miles from the target. The strike, made from advanced Southwest Pacific flying bases, was a dawn-to-dusk mission of more than 2,000 miles without fighter protection. Not a single Zero came up to intercept when the bombers roared over.

Three Changes Made In St. Mary's Faculty

Three changes have been effected in the faculty of St. Mary's Catholic school for the 1944-45 term which opens September 7.

Sister Loyla, of Nebraska, will succeed Sister Walter, transferred to SS. Peter and Paul school, this city, and Sister Giovanni, of Sacred Heart college, Louisville, Ky., replaces Sister Ephrem, who has been transferred to Sacred Heart college.

Sister Martina, of St. Francis school, Louisville, replaces Sister Aline as fifth grade teacher, the latter going to St. Peter's, Louisville.

St. Patrick's school opens September 7 but Catholic Girls' Central high school will hold its first sessions on September 5. The latter opening date also applies to the commercial department.

New students will register at St. Patrick's and Central today from 9 a. m. to noon and St. Mary's on Friday, September 1.

Nursing Consultant Is Coming Here

Miss Winifred Bonham, nursing consultant for the eastern area of the American Red Cross, with headquarters in Alexandria, Va., will arrive here at noon tomorrow, according to Mrs. Lee W. Withers, chairman of the Allegheny county chapter of the Red Cross.

Miss Bonham will conduct a meeting of all nurses' aides in Allegheny county Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the Red Cross office, third floor post office building, at which time the fall program of the organization will be discussed.

Recruiter Returns

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Oakland Man Is First From Section To Donate Gallon of Blood

James B. Nally, formerly of Oakland, now employed by the Bethlehem Steel Company, shipbuilding division at Key Highway, near Baltimore, is believed to be the first Western Marylander to become a member of the Gallon Club.

This information was received yesterday by Joseph H. Cromwell, chairman of the blood donor service, Allegheny County chapter, American Red Cross, from E. H. Carman, Jr., director of Baltimore chapter.

To be eligible for membership in the club a person must donate one gallon of blood to the Red Cross Blood Donor Service. A plaque is presented to each member. Nally, qualified for membership August 23, qualified for membership August 23.

Cromwell stated since a pint of blood is taken from donors on each visit, Nally made eight visits before he was accepted as a member of the Gallon Club.

A painter by trade, Nally is married and has three children. He was graduated from Oakland high school where he played on the basketball team. He also played independent basketball with the Oakland A. A. A. sister, Mrs. Robert Coffey, and a brother, Bernard Nally, reside in Oakland.

4-F Registrants Who Are Unemployed Asked To Contact Boards

All draft registrants of Local Boards No. 1, 2, 3 and 4, who are currently classified in 4-F because of physical disability, and who are not now employed in any respect, are urged to contact their local board offices, it was announced yesterday.

Local draft board officials are anxious to secure the names of registrants in this category in order to secure free rehabilitation and vocational training for them which may fit them for employment. No age limits have been set. Veterans who have received medical discharges from the armed forces should not apply, it was stated.

COUNCIL TRANSACTS ROUTINE BUSINESS

The mayor and city council yesterday accepted the bid of J. Milton Hawk, 807 Mt. Royal avenue, of \$497.20 for improvements at the headquarters of the Allegheny County League for Crippled Children.

Work will include preparation of a stairway, storage room, and shelves. It will also include changes in the outside stairs.

The council approved payment of \$40 for an advertisement in the program of the American Legion state convention in Baltimore. Several weeks ago the council decided against taking the ad but the Legion committee, upon receiving reply from the city, inserted the ad. The Legion, in telling the council of its action, said that the city need not pay for the ad if it did not care to.

Lottie M. Thomas, Kathleen M. Brant and Joyce Beighly were named playground leaders and Davis W. Lier and Martin L. Keller were appointed playground guards at \$50 a month.

James Orr, police and fire commissioner, was authorized to ask for bids on a one and one-half ton chassis with a 134-inch wheel base to be used by the fire department on the aerial ladder truck to replace 1918 Packard chassis, which will put aerial truck back into service.

Night club licenses were granted the Port Cumberland hotel and the Cadillac cocktail lounge.

The city department will close next Monday for Labor day. The regular meeting of the council will be Tuesday.

70,340,000 gallons of water were consumed in the week ending Sunday. The daily average was 10,944,000 gallons, as compared to 9,724,000 gallons for the same period last year. Lake Gordon is one foot, ten inches below the crest; Lake Koon, seven feet, five inches below the crest.

Local News in Brief

Accusing her husband of treating her cruelly and finally deserting her, Mrs. Jessie May Thomas filed suit in circuit court yesterday for an absolute divorce from Thurman Harry Thomas. The couple were married April 1, 1942, and have no children, according to the bill of complaint. Mrs. Thomas asks permission to resume the use of her maiden name. She is represented by Alben A. Doub, Jr.

In a decree signed yesterday in circuit court by Associate Judge William A. Huster, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Teets formally adopted Ruth Imogene Van Meter. The decree authorized that the girl's name be changed to Teets. Julius E. Schindler was attorney for Mr. and Mrs. Teets.

Paul C. Weisenmiller, 362 Bedford street, hooked a small mouth black bass weighing four pounds, four ounces while fishing Sunday in Town creek. The bass is the largest caught in that stream in several years.

Three Changes Made In St. Mary's Faculty

Three changes have been effected in the faculty of St. Mary's Catholic school for the 1944-45 term which opens September 7.

Sister Loyla, of Nebraska, will succeed Sister Walter, transferred to SS. Peter and Paul school, this city, and Sister Giovanni, of Sacred Heart college, Louisville, Ky., replaces Sister Ephrem, who has been transferred to Sacred Heart college.

Sister Martina, of St. Francis school, Louisville, replaces Sister Aline as fifth grade teacher, the latter going to St. Peter's, Louisville.

St. Patrick's school opens September 7 but Catholic Girls' Central high school will hold its first sessions on September 5. The latter opening date also applies to the commercial department.

New students will register at St. Patrick's and Central today from 9 a. m. to noon and St. Mary's on Friday, September 1.

Nursing Consultant Is Coming Here

Miss Winifred Bonham, nursing consultant for the eastern area of the American Red Cross, with headquarters in Alexandria, Va., will arrive here at noon tomorrow, according to Mrs. Lee W. Withers, chairman of the Allegheny county chapter of the Red Cross.

Miss Bonham will conduct a meeting of all nurses' aides in Allegheny county Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the Red Cross office, third floor post office building, at which time the fall program of the organization will be discussed.

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6 Tri-State Men Reported Wounded

Three Others Captured and Two Missing, Report Says

Six servicemen from the tri-state area have been wounded in action, two are reported missing, and three have been captured, according to yesterday's war casualty list.

Sgt. John Clark, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Clark, Meyersdale, Pa., was wounded in France. He is recuperating in an English hospital from a wound in his left arm.

Pvt. Walter Baughman, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Baughman, live in Sand Patch, near Meyersdale, Pa., was wounded in France while fighting as a member of a tank battalion.

Pfc. William Yoder, son of Hiram Yoder, Rockwood, Pa., was wounded in action in France.

Pvt. Clyde Mark, Rockwood, Pa., was wounded in France, August 6. He entered the army July 9, 1942, and went overseas last January. He is the son of Mrs. Archie Yoder, RFD 2, Rockwood.

Seaman Ord Mostoller, son of Mervin Mostoller, Somerset, Pa., was wounded in action in the Pacific war zone. Seaman Mostoller's wife, Mrs. Mary Jane Day Mostoller, is a yeoman in the SPARS.

Sgt. Edward M. Austin, husband of Mrs. Marguerite Austin and son of Lee Austin, both of Meyersdale, Pa., was wounded in France August 2.

Sgt. Elmer E. Rankin, son of Mrs. Ella Rankin, Somerset, Pa., has been missing in France since August 1. He entered the service in February, 1941, as a member of the Somerset company of the National Guard, and went overseas last October. He took part in the D-day invasion of France.

Seaman Junior S. Klein, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., is missing at sea. He entered the navy in March, 1942, while he was a member of the senior class at Berkeley high school. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Klein, Berkeley Springs, have three other sons in the armed forces.

Pvt. Norman A. Cessna, Rainburg, Pa., who had been reported missing in action on the French front since July 6, is now a prisoner of the Germans, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Cessna, Rainburg.

Pvt. Lester A. Rouzer, son of Sewell W. Rouzer, Bedford, Pa., reported missing in France since July 7, has been captured by the Germans.

Pvt. Harry S. Wayne, New Paris, Pa., has been captured by the Germans in Italy. A previous War department message to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wayne, New Paris, reported that Pvt. Wayne had been missing in action on the Italian front since May 13.

Board 2 Sends 15 to Baltimore

Fifteen local men, seven of them married with children, left Local Draft Board No. 2 early yesterday morning for Baltimore, where they will be sworn into military service and assigned to the army, navy or marine corps. They are:

Exra Clarence Dorsey, 434 Laing avenue; Amos Roy Mortzfeldt, 814 North Mechanic street; Neil Luthier Faulkner, 500 Park street; James Ross Luteman, Baltimore; George Sylvester Thomas, 9 Euclid place; James Travis, Tresler, RFD 7, Johnstown, Pa.; Kenneth Edwin Dicken, RFD 3, Bowman's Addition; John Louis Moor, 134 Frederick street.

Robert Gilmore Africa, 311 North Mechanic street; Daniel Leroy Fraker, 603 Pine avenue; George Raymond Schupfer, 708 Columbia avenue; Howard Jack Brant, 200 W. Lombard road; Thomas Henry Lowery, 510 City View terrace; George Henry Rodenhouser, Jr., 528 Broadway circle, and Paul Edward Schell, 409 Winner street.

Council Approves Airport Bids

Bids for work at the Cumberland municipal airport have been approved by officials of the Civil Aeronautics Administration in Washington, Charles Z. Heskett, airport director, told the mayor and council yesterday. The CAA officials have sent papers back to the regional office in New York for execution, he said.

The Grandview Company bid \$467,949.50 for grading and other work, and the M. DeMatteo Construction Company bid \$339,370.00 for hard surfacing. Heskett had stated previously that, as the prices were in line with CAA estimates, it was believed that the bids would be approved.

A communication from th airport committee unanimously recommended exercising the \$12,000 option on the McCabe property as soon as contracts for the airport work are let. The council delayed action pending the awarding of a contract.

Airport receipts totaled \$43.99 last week.

Capt. Oliver Bruce Wounded Second Time

Capt. Oliver H. Bruce, III, son of Magistrate and Mrs. Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., Allegheny hotel, has been wounded a second time in France, according to a War department telegram to his parents Sunday.

Capt. Bruce was wounded July 21 in the battle for St. Lo in Normandy, returning to combat duty with his infantry outfit August 6. He was wounded again shortly thereafter, suffering shrapnel wounds in the back, according to information reaching his parents.

A graduate of the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service, Capt. Bruce was employed in the news room of the Times and Alleghenian Company before leaving Cumberland with company G in February, 1941. He has been overseas since last May. A brother, Lt. James K. Bruce, is serving in the navy.

620 County Hunting Licenses Issued

Six hundred and twenty county licenses have been issued in anticipation of the opening of the squirrel hunting season September 15, attaches of the office of the clerk of circuit court reported yesterday. They added that 255 statewide licenses have been sold since June 1 when issuance of the tags was started.

As an aid to sportsmen and hunters, copies of the state game law now are available at the office of the circuit court clerk and provide a concise summary of the regulations.

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According to word received by the family, Capt. Howard R. Dickey, son of Mrs. Annie R. Dickey, 218 Washington street, is in an English hospital recovering from battle fatigue.

Capt. Dickey, as well as other members of the famous Twenty-ninth division, who have experienced almost continuous action since D-day, has been evacuated to recuperate from the strain of daily combat.

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Celanese Agrees To Loan Workers For Kelly Jobs

Voluntary Transfers Made To Relieve Critical Tire Shortage

Plans have been completed for a negotiated loan of approximately 150 male workers of the Amoco plant of the Celanese Corporation of America to the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company in view of the critical shortage of manpower at the latter plant in the manufacture of heavy duty truck tires for the armed forces.

The transfer of workers has been approved by the management of both plants. Local 1874, Textile Workers Union of America, and Local No. 26, United Rubber Workers, and those involved will go on a voluntary basis, retain their seniority and report back at the Celanese plant at the expiration of the period in which there is a critical need for rubber.

Patrick J. Carroll, manager of the Cumberland office, United States Employment Service of the War Manpower Commission, said the Kelly-Springfield plant needs tire builders, mill men, pit men and laborers.

Twenty-five machinists were loaned by Celanese to the Kelly-Springfield Engineering Company when the ordnance plant was in full operation here but only ten machinists are involved under the present transfer plan, Carroll said.

Five machinists already have been loaned by Celanese to the Allegheny Ballistics Laboratory at Pinto, and five more are slated to transfer there within the next several days, the local USFS manager stated.

Moose Band Will Give Concert at LaVale Festival

The Moose Band, under the direction of Joseph H. Morton, will give a concert at the opening of the LaVale Volunteer Firemen's festival tomorrow evening.

The program includes a number of marches, "On Guard for U. S. A.," "Conquer," "Old Comrades," "New Colonial," "Queen City," "Rifle Rangers," and "Washington Greys"; also, "Southern Roses," and "Old Times," waltzes; the overture, "Panorama," the serenade, "Night in June," and the overture, "Let Us Sing."

Miss Martha Norris, who plays violin in the band, will give several solos on the accordion.

The festival will be held tomorrow evening and Thursday evening on the lot adjoining the fire hall. There will be a number of concession stands and the refreshments will be served under the supervision of the Ladies Auxiliary. There will also be chess games for the children, for which prizes will be awarded.

The Ferrone trio will play Thursday evening.

Cromwell Zembower is chairman of the festival and is being assisted by Elmer C. Lancaster, and Elmer T. Berchley. Mrs. E. C. Lancaster, Mrs. Zembower and Mrs. Fred W. Hawkins comprise the committee from the auxiliary.

AUTO USE STAMP DRIVE WILL BE LAUNCHED TODAY

A special three-day drive in the Cumberland area to make sure that all motorists have purchased the federal \$5 auto-use stamp will be launched today, according to Richard J. Stakem, division chief of the local Bureau of Internal Revenue office.

Deputies attached to the local bureau will check all cars in this area which do not have the stamp pasted on the windshield, Stakem said. Motorists may purchase the stamps from the deputies, or may buy them at the post office building. The license numbers of those who fail to purchase stamps will be reported to the state office for further action, Stakem said.

According to Police and Fire Commissioner James Orr, the city police department has taken no action and has no jurisdiction to enforce motorist use of the stamps.

The commissioner explained that the enforcement drive is up to federal authorities and the local department is not assisting the officials of the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

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